

Draft Call Highest in Months

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon today called for the drafting of 33,700 men next February—the highest monthly quota in eight months.

The figure is up sharply from the 26,800 previously announced for January and more than double the average monthly draft requests during the last seven months of this year.

Manpower requests this year ranged as high as 48,000 in April and 45,900 in May.

The Pentagon recently said draft calls in 1969 would turn higher by about 3,000 men per month than otherwise would have been expected due to the planned early release of 20,000 Army Reserve and National Guard members who were called earlier this year.

Of the February draftees, 32,200 will go to the Army and 1,500 to the Marines. The Marine Corps, traditionally an all-volunteer outfit, already has taken in some 6,000 draftees this year.

Will Direct Youth Group

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Patrick R. Harding Jr., 26, has been named executive director of the Governor's Youth Council, a youth organization created by Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller last year.

Boundaries

The Isthmus of Tehuantepec forms the northern boundary of Central America and the Isthmus of Panama forms its southern boundary.

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M.C. BROWNELL

Maurice C. Brownell, representative of the Ames Company, Division of The Miles Laboratories, Elkhart, Indiana, will speak to the Hempstead County Diabetic Class on Wednesday, December 18, 1:30 p.m. in the Woodmen Hall.

Mr. Brownell's topic will be "The Importance of Testing." He will discuss the different types of self testing urine tests, the warning signals of diabetic coma and insulin shock, the causes, how to prevent, what to do, and why you should test. There will be a question and answer and discussion period at the end.

Obituaries

MRS. LELA JARVIS

Mrs. Lela Jarvis, 67, of Prescott Rd. 1, died Wednesday. She was a longtime resident of Nevada county.

Surviving are her husband, Ray Jarvis of Prescott; a son, Vernon L. Gaines of Pine Bluff, a daughter, Linna Vernel of Los Angeles; a brother, Freeman Foshee of Sparkman and a sister, Irene Kelly of Iowa.

Cornish Funeral Home of Prescott will announce arrangements.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Raoul Fabares, 84, father of actress Nanette Fabray, died Tuesday night after a heart attack. Fabares was a retired railroad engineer.

NEW YORK (AP) — Lou Davies, 57, composer and conductor who wrote arrangements for such recording stars as Perry Como, Lena Horne and Lawrence Welk, died Wednesday of a heart attack.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (AP) — Dr. Emmet O. Swanson, 62, expert pistol and rifle shot who was on four Olympic teams and captained the 1960 U.S. shooting team, died Tuesday. Swanson, a dentist, was president of the National Rifle Association in 1947-48.

NIXON (from page one)

his Cabinet lineup.

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In an evident effort to offset the shortage of Democrats, Nixon

Weather

Experiment Station reports for 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. Thursday, High 65, Low 48

Forecasts

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ARKANSAS — Rain and possibly a few thunderstorms ending tonight. Cloudiness decreasing from the southwest Friday. Colder tonight and Friday. Low tonight 30s northwest to low 50s extreme southeast. High Friday in the 40s north to the 50s south.

Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

| | High | Low |
|-----------------------|------|-----|
| Albany, clear | 25 | 20 |
| Albuquerque, clear | 52 | 26 |
| Atlanta, clear | 48 | 24 |
| Bismarck, snow | 31 | 17 |
| Boise, cloudy | 44 | 35 |
| Boston, clear | 34 | 29 |
| Buffalo, cloudy | 33 | 32 |
| Chicago, cloudy | 53 | 48 |
| Cincinnati, cloudy | 50 | 42 |
| Cleveland, cloudy | 34 | 32 |
| Denver, snow | 66 | 31 |
| Des Moines, cloudy | 54 | 47 |
| Detroit, cloudy | 43 | 35 |
| Fairbanks, cloudy | -16 | -25 |
| Fort Worth, rain | 65 | 51 |
| Helena, cloudy | 46 | 31 |
| Honolulu, clear | 83 | 72 |
| Indianapolis, cloudy | 51 | 44 |
| Jacksonville, clear | 54 | 35 |
| Juneau, snow | 19 | 11 |
| Kansas City, cloudy | 60 | 57 |
| Los Angeles, clear | 64 | 47 |
| Louisville, cloudy | 54 | 41 |
| Memphis, cloudy | 61 | 52 |
| Miami, cloudy | 69 | 64 |
| Milwaukee, cloudy | 48 | 46 |
| Mpls.-St. P., cloudy | 43 | 37 |
| New Orleans, cloudy | 67 | 53 |
| New York, cloudy | 34 | 29 |
| Okla. City, cloudy | 66 | 61 |
| Omaha, clear | 53 | 47 |
| Philadelphia, clear | 30 | 15 |
| Phoenix, clear | 71 | 43 |
| Pittsburgh, cloudy | h33 | 23 |
| Ptmd, Me., cloudy | 30 | 19 |
| Ptmd, Ore., cloudy | 47 | 39 |
| Rapid City, cloudy | 61 | 26 |
| Richmond, clear | 35 | 17 |
| St. Louis, cloudy | 59 | 51 |
| Salt Lk. City, cloudy | 50 | 29 |
| San Diego, clear | 61 | 41 |
| San Fran., clear | M | M |
| Seattle, clear | 47 | 35 |
| Tampa, clear | 60 | 50 |
| Washington, clear | 33 | 20 |
| Winnipeg, snow | 25 | 4 |

(M—Missing) (T—Trace)

on said a man of that party will be named U.S. ambassador to the United Nations. Sargent Shriver, now U.S. ambassador to France, reportedly has been offered that job.

A similar concern was evident when Nixon prefaced his Cabinet announcements by telling a national television audience that he is going to reappoint Walter Washington, a Negro, and a Democrat, to be mayor of the District of Columbia.

But the Cabinet itself is composed of five Republican politicians, three of them governors; two lawyers, two educators and three men from the world of banking and business.

Three of its members—Rogers, Stans and Massachusetts 60-year-old Gov. John A. Volpe—held major posts during the administration of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower. David Kennedy, 63, who is to be secretary of the Treasury, worked in that department during one of the Eisenhower years.

Gold Front Is Moving In

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Temperatures are expected to plummet in Arkansas tonight as a cold front moves across the state.

Cold northerly winds Friday will add to the unpleasant effect of the front. The U. S. Weather Bureau says the coldest temperatures of the fall, possibly near zero, are expected Saturday morning.

The highs reported around the state Wednesday ranged from 53 at Walnut Ridge to 68 at Texarkana.

Overnight low temperatures ranged from 51 at Walnut Ridge to 63 at Fort Smith. Lows tonight should be near the freezing mark.

Rainfall reports for the 24-hour period ended at 6 a.m. include a trace at Fayetteville, Harrison and Little Rock and .01 at Pine Bluff.

Rep. Mills Discusses Surcharge

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., said Wednesday worse things could happen than permitting the 10 per cent income tax surcharge to continue one more year.

But the House Ways and Means Committee chairman said he hoped the surcharge could be allowed to expire on schedule June 30.

An enlargement of expenditures accompanied by the expiration of the surtax could lead again to the inflationary pressures that caused enactment of the tax, Mills said while taping "Arkansas Jaycees Present" for showing Thursday on television station KATV here.

On another subject, Mills said the nation didn't have the flexibility to run up the deficits it has in the past. He said the soundness of the dollar depended to a great extent on how the nation handled its domestic affairs.

"Our situation has so changed in recent years that it is not possible to go along without paying more regard to a deficit in our balance of payments position," Mills said.

New Nixon Cabinet at a Glance

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here is President-elect Nixon's Cabinet, announced Wednesday night:

Secretary of State—William P. Rogers.
Secretary of Defense—Rep. Melvin R. Laird, R-Wis.
Secretary of the Treasury—David M. Kennedy
Attorney General—John N. Mitchell.
Postmaster General—Winton M. Blount.
Secretary of the Interior—Gov. Walter J. Hickel of Alaska.
Secretary of Agriculture—Clifford M. Hardin, chancellor of the University of Nebraska.
Secretary of Commerce—Former budget director Maurice H. Stans.
Secretary of Labor—George P. Shultz, University of Chicago dean.
Secretary of Health Education and Welfare—Lt. Gov. Robert H. Finch of California.
Secretary of Housing and Urban Development—Gov. George Romney of Michigan.
Secretary of Transportation—Gov. John A. Volpe of Massachusetts.

IN CONFUSED (from page one)

fant and toss it into the air and catch it? That's the Papa. Does it hold the infant to its bosom with one hand while it tries to butter a piece of breakfast toast with the other? That's the Mama.

Does it keep its old love letters tied in beribboned packets and like to take them out and have a good cry reading them on rainy days? That is the Mrs. Does it sometimes get in trouble by leaving new love notes crumpled in a suit to be sent to the cleaners? That is the Mr.—and he's a rascal, he is.

Is it sometimes willing to admit its errors and take the blame for them? It is a man. Does it always try to conceal its mistakes and like to be flattered for its faults? It has to be a woman.

Is it a teen-ager? There is no known way for an adult to determine by himself the sex of a teen-ager. They all look and act alike. All you can do is put another teen-ager into the room and wait and see what happens. They seem able to tell each other apart—but just how no one knows.

Four Perish in Fire Near Trumman

TRUMMAN, Ark. (AP) — Three small children and their father died Wednesday in a blaze that destroyed their frame home, four miles southwest of here at McCormick.

The victims were identified as Lloyd Robert Hill, 45, and his children, Debbie Diane, 5, Tommy Gene, 4, and James Thomas, 2.

Coroner Homer Bata and Deputy Johnnie Henderson said the family's six other children were at school at the time of the fire. Mrs. Hill was at work months.

in Trumman, they said. Investigators said the fire apparently began in the kitchen, where a skillet was found on the stove. Mrs. Hill said the skillet was not on the stove when she left for work.

Bata said a preliminary investigation did not indicate foul play and that the fire could have started from grease or food in the skillet. The investigation was continuing.

Neighbors, who spotted the flames and called firemen, tried to enter the house but were forced back by the intense heat. The bodies were found in the front bedroom of the four room structure.

Authorities said the Hills had lived in the house about three months.

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Calendar of Events

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12

The Hope B & PW Club will have a Christmas dinner meeting at the Diamond Thursday, December 12 at 7 p.m. Each member is asked to bring a \$3 gift for exchange.

Hope Men's Golf Association will have dinner prepared by Mrs. Jim Reddick at the Hope Country Club Thursday, December 12 at 6:30 p.m. A film in color on golf will be shown at 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

The Rose Garden Club will have luncheon at the Diamond at 12:30 p.m. Friday, December 13. Mrs. Roy Chatham will bring the program, and each member is to bring a gift not to exceed \$2 in value. Members are also asked to make and wear a Christmas corsage.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

The piano pupils of Mrs. R. L. Gosnell will have their Christmas recital Saturday morning, December 14 at 10 o'clock in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church. Parents and friends are invited.

Hope Country Club Christmas Dance will be from 9 to 1 Saturday, December 14.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15

Girl Scouts will hold Open House Sunday, December 15 from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the Little House. Mothers may pick up the gifts that the children have made. Everyone is invited to attend.

A Mixed Golf Tournament will be held at the Hope Country Club Sunday, December 15 beginning at 2 p.m., followed by a spaghetti supper.

The piano and organ pupils of Mrs. C.C. McNeill will present a recital Sunday, December 15 at 2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

Chancel Choir Practice will be held in the First Presbyterian Church on Monday, December 16 at 7 p.m.

Fidells Sunday School Class of the First United Methodist Church will have a Christmas party Monday, December 16 at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Donald Worthy. Each member is asked to bring money for the needy and a \$1.00 gift for exchange.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17

Jett B. Graves Class Christmas Party of the First Methodist Church will be held at 7 p.m.

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dist Church will be held at the Diamond Cafe Tuesday, December 17 at 7 p.m. Hostess will be Mrs. Marie Garanto, Mrs. Arch Wylie, Mrs. Dell McClanahan, Mrs. Garland Medders, Mrs. William Oglesby, and Mrs. Pearl Owens. There will be an exchange of gifts.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

The First Presbyterian Church's Youth Choir Practice will be at 3:45 on Wednesday December 18.

MILLWOOD SHRINE CLUB

HOLDS YULE PARTY

A musical group from Gurdon provided an enjoyable program at the Millwood Shrine Club Christmas party Tuesday, December 10 at the Town and Country. Mrs. Marcus Lowe served as mistress of ceremonies for the group that included Warren Bones, drums; "Hap" Robertson, bass; Mrs. Flo Kirby, piano; and Paul Ed Shaver and Jerry Childers, vocalists.

The musicians presented seasonal songs in a delightful style, and the group of 54 at the dinner sang a number of Christmas songs accompanied by Mrs. Kirby. Noble Jack Lowe arranged for the program.

Retiring President, Noble E. L. Archer, Jr., presided for the last time, and the club's liaison officer from the Scimitar Temple, Noble Wames Qualls, installed 3 new officers: Noble Robert Hodge of DeQueen, president; Noble H. C. Whitworth, first vice-president; and Noble Frank H. Patten of Lewisville, second vice-president.

Before the chicken dinner was served, the invocation was offered by Noble Arthur Strech. Noble Fay James voiced the benediction. During the entertainment, the door prize was won by Mrs. Dean Norwood of DeQueen.

COSMOPOLITAN CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Herbert Stephens' home was turned into a Christmas bazaar for the Cosmopolitan Club on Tuesday night, December 10. Ornaments trimmed with sequins which Mrs. Stephens had made were seen throughout the home, and decoration colors ranged from the traditional red and white to pastel shades.

For the program Mrs. Thomas Hays recited Luke 2:8-16, and Mrs. Thomas Hays, Jr. sang "Silent Night" with all joining in to sing the last verse. Club President Mrs. Hamilton Hane-gan welcomed the 22 members and two guests, Mrs. Edwin Jackson, Annapolis, Md., and Mrs. James Sewell.

Mrs. Stephens and her co-hostesses, Mrs. E. J. Whitman and Mrs. Everett Vinson served Christmas cookies with cranberry punch or coffee after an exchange of gifts. Each one present also received a sequined ball made by Mrs. Stephens as a favor.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

On Monday, December 9 the Homemakers Extension Home-

makers Club had a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. C.L. Roberts. For the program Mrs. G. W. Hooten presented "The Runaway Boy" by Chase Walker and "A Christmas Prayer for You" by Patrick E. Seanlon. All sang "Silent Night," and Mrs. Roscoe Bowden offered prayer.

Around a pretty Christmas tree, gifts were exchanged, and Secret Pals were revealed. The group enjoyed playing several games. Mrs. Archie Smith assisted the hostess in serving coffee, cold drinks, and assorted "goodies" were served to 12 club members and 3 guests, Mrs. Lynn Montgomery, Master Stan Bolden, and little Miss Stacy Lynn Butler.

Coming. Going

Mrs. John Strech, Joplin, Mo., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Strech in Hope and Mrs. Dortha McKillip in Ozan.

Mrs. Theo Bonds has had as recent guests Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Helton, Bob and Marcla, Shreveport, and Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Duncan, Mount Pleasant, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Fielding Huddleston and family have returned to Omaha, Tex., after visiting Mrs. Jewel Moore and Mrs. W. B. Huddleston; other guests of Mrs. Moore have been Mr. and Mrs. Kenny McKee, Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Whitworth spent the weekend in El Dorado with Dr. and Mrs. Jack Ambrose and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Rettig were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baggett in Shreveport.

Miss Bankhead, Actress, Dies

NEW YORK (AP) — Tallulah Bankhead, the gravel-voiced Southern belle who became a stage star, movie siren, and eventually one of the nation's leading character actresses — and characters — died today. She was 65.

Miss Bankhead had been ill only a few days, a victim of the current outbreak of flu, when pneumonia developed and led to her death, according to her business manager, Ezra Schline.

Her sister, Eugenia Bankhead, and nephew, Billy Bankhead, were with her at her death.

Ethel Kennedy Has 11th Child

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ethel Kennedy, widow of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, gave birth today to her 11th child — an eight-pound, four-ounce girl.

The child was delivered at Georgetown University Hospital by Caesarean section at 8:40 a.m. Mrs. Kennedy has three other girls and seven boys ranging in age from 18 months to 17 years.

Her husband, the junior senator from New York, was assassinated in June in Los Angeles shortly after winning the California Democratic presidential primary.

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., his wife and other family friends were at the hospital for the birth.

HOPE (ARK) STAR, Printed by Offset



CUTE COOKIES FROM KENT. Coeds in Ohio's Kent State University baked more than 1,000 pounds of cookies for Marines stationed in Vietnam. Shown with some of the results of the kitchen caper are Ohioans Barbara Schwan of Ashland, seated; and, standing from the left, Randi Shoham, Shaker Heights; Karen Henning, Grafton; and Patricia Resick, Kent.



HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bettel

"THANK YOU" TIME AGAIN

Ah, Thanksgiving!

On this day I am thankful that:

... Our washer blew its what-chamacallit two weeks BEFORE the repair guarantee expired.

... Our family livestock count continues: Two parakeets and two cats, not parakeets IN two cats.

... I have almost broken myself of such phrases as "Everybody generalizes," and "It's ten minutes till half past eight."

... Yesterday I broke a crusty baking dish BEFORE, not after, I washed it.

... Twice this year unexpected company has caught me with my shoes on.

... I found the glove I misplaced before I threw away its mate.

... For the first time in 20 years I belong to only one PTA — and the house is no longer cluttered with toys. (Buy Ye Gods — THE BOYS!)

... I have lately read two books the critics hated — and loved 'em.

... I do not want a sable jacket for Christmas which is lucky because I wouldn't get it anyway.

... Our daughters consider TV dinners a special treat. (And if the men in the family don't,

they can jolly well take us out for lobster thermador.)

... I know exactly where I can find my one roll of cellophane tape, the fingernail scissors, and my second-best girdle: Under three notebooks, ten pieces of scratch paper, a love letter, a popcorn bowl, and a sweater, on our daughter's typewriter table.

... Our deep freeze no longer holds three dead mice — wrapped in transparent plastic. They have served their purpose in ninth grade science lab.

... My one empty dresser dresser drawer (mucho will power!) still cons me into believing our house has room to spare.

... Not one person has said this year, "Helen, you simply nally sunk in; I simply CAN'T hit that stupid ball."

... Holiday guests won't crash through our sliding glass doors. And isn't THAT a good excuse for now washing windows.

... Our pile of garden trimmings out front is bigger than our neighbors' this week, and believe me, THAT'S suburb status!

... My husband only snores when he's asleep, so it doesn't bother him.

... I have found an absolutely fool-proof place to hide chocolate chips, shelled nuts, and other cooking goodies, so that my family won't "piece" them down to empty packages — but I forget where it is....

... AND, happy day! — Christmas is still 27 shopping days away, if you count Sundays at the discount stores.

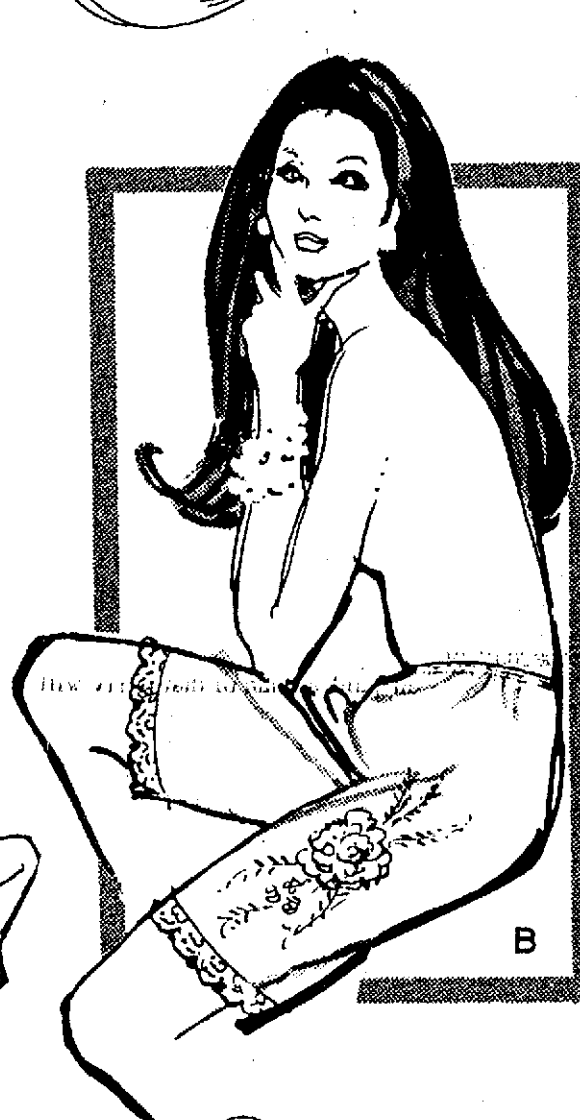


PEARLY QUEEN of London, Beatrix Marriot, appeared resplendent at the Park Lane Fair. The fair was held in London to raise funds for charities devoted to needy veterans.

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- D. Lace trimmed full slip; sizes 32 to 38. \$4.
- E. Man tailored pajamas; sizes 32 to 44 \$4.
- F. Lace edged mini shift and panties sizes S,M,L, \$4.
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Season for Firing Grid Coaches

By MIKE BRYSON

Associated Press Sports Writer

Navy's Bill Elias, Phil Cutchin of Oklahoma State and Tom Boisture of Holy Cross are the latest casualties of that old do die tradition in college football's ranks.

Elias, head coach at the U.S. Naval Academy since 1965, and Cutchin, Cowboys' coach for six seasons, were fired Wednesday, while Boisture resigned after two years of bossing the Crusaders.

It brought to seven the number of coaching changes since the end of the regular season.

Capt. J. O. Coppedge, athletic director of the Academy, said the Naval Academy Athletic Association had voted not to renew Elias' contract "in an effort to improve Navy's football record."

The Midshipmen won only two of 10 games this season—their worst showing in 20 years—including a 21-14 loss to Army.

Elias, 45, former University of Virginia and George Washington coach, guided Navy to a 4-4-2 record his first year, but the Midshipment slipped to 4-6 in 1966. The only winning season Navy had under the former University of Maryland quarterback was 1967 when it posted a 5-4-1 record, including a 19-14 upset of Army.

Coppedge said the Academy has not decided on a successor, but added "no member of the present staff is being considered." Elias said he had no immediate plans.

Cutchin was fired by the Oklahoma State Board of Regents, acting on a recommendation by school President Dr. Robert B. Kimm and the school's athletic cabinet.

His Big Eight team was 3-7 this season and 19-38-2 over the six years. Cutchin still has two years remaining—at an annual salary of \$23,260—on a five-year pact given to him in 1965 when the Cowboys defeated arch-rival Oklahoma for the first time in 20 years.

Kimm didn't disclose proposed terms of the contract settlement, but was not receptive to a plan calling for alumni to buy up the remainder of the contract.

The 47-year-old Cutchin, not available for comment Wednesday night, went to Oklahoma State in 1963 from Alabama where he was top assistant to Paul "Bear" Bryant. Before that, he coached under Bryant at Kentucky and Texas A&M.

Cutchin's best season at Oklahoma State was 4-5-1 in 1966. There was no word from school officials about a successor.

Boisture, who stepped up from backfield coach to replace Mel Massucco as head man at Holy Cross in 1967, had an 8-11-1 record during his two-year tenure. But the Crusaders had only a 3-6-1 record this fall.

The 37-year-old Boisture said he was resigning for personal reasons, and school officials had no word on a replacement.

Boisture previously served four years as an offensive backfield coach at Houston. He graduated from Mississippi State in 1955 where he played guard under both Darrell Royal, now head coach at Texas, and Murray Warmath, now head coach at Minnesota.

Other coaches who won't be returning next season include Bill Tate of Wake Forest, Thad "Pie" Vann of Southern Mississippi, Dave Hart of Pittsburgh and John Bridgers of Baylor.

Jockey Rides

Two Winners

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Angel Cordero Jr. rode two winners at Tropical Park Tuesday and widened his lead to four over Alvaro Pineda in the race for the 1968 National Jockey Championship. Pineda, who was blanked at Bay Meadows in California, was won 308 races, Cordero 312.

Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

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|------------------|-------|------|-------|------|
| Dec. 12 Thursday | 11:55 | 4:15 | 12:20 | 4:35 |
| Dec. 13 Friday | — | 5:00 | 12:40 | 5:20 |
| Dec. 14 Saturday | 1:00 | 5:50 | 1:00 | 6:10 |
| Dec. 15 Sunday | 2:05 | 6:40 | 1:20 | 7:05 |
| Dec. 15 Monday | 3:20 | 7:35 | 1:50 | 8:05 |

Murphy Still Hot for Niagara

By TED MEIER

Associated Press Sports Writer

This promises to be a glorious college basketball season for Calvin Murphy, the 5-foot-10 Skidoo Kid for the Niagara Purple Eagles.

The junior sharpshooter from Norwalk, Conn., who scored 68 points against Syracuse last Saturday, threw in 44 against Cornell Wednesday night and strengthened his claim to the No. 1 spot in the national individual scoring race for the young season.

Murphy threw in 20 field goals and four of four free throws in helping Niagara come from behind to beat the Big Red 89-63 at Niagara Falls, N.Y. He probably would have crossed the 50-point mark except that he was taken out by Coach Frank Layden with four minutes left to play.

"Calvin played a very unselfish game and still managed to get 44 points," Layden said. "He had seven assists and fed the subs regularly. He played a magnificent game."

Murphy's magnificent play overshadowed Notre Dame's 57-56 squeaker over Wisconsin, Dayton's 83-55 conquest of Miami, Ohio, for the Flyers' 19th straight, Virginia's 81-75 upset of Duke and Richmond's 80-79 surprise of West Virginia.

Austin Carr and Tom Sinnott pulled the game out of the fire for Notre Dame at South Bend. The Irish, seventh-ranked in The Associated Press poll, trailed Wisconsin 56-54 with 38 seconds left. Then Carr, a sophomore, tied the score.

Sinnott followed with a free throw with 10 seconds on the clock to win the game. Carr led the Irish with 22 points. Chuck Nagle's 15 topped Wisconsin.

Dayton shot a blistering 61 per cent as the Flyers made it five in a row this season against Miami at Oxford, Ohio. Ninth-ranked Duke led to Virginia for the first time in 10 years as Tony Kinn's 29 points paced the Cavaliers in the ACC game at Charlottesville.

Mike Truett's free throw in the last second broke a 79-79 tie and gave Richmond its upset over West Virginia at Morgantown. It was the first time since 1954 that Richmond has beaten West Virginia on the Mountaineers' home court.

Spencer Haywood's 35 points led 14th-ranked Detroit to a 74-72 road triumph over Eastern Michigan. LaSalle, No. 20 and the only other team in the AP Top 20 to see action, walloped Miami of Florida 96-71 at the Palestra in Philadelphia. Bernie Williams led the Explorers with 32 points.

Yale beat Brown 63-59 in the Ivy League opener. In other action, Seton Hall whipped St. Francis, N.Y., 66-53, and Fairfield took King's, Pa., 70-65.

Princeton scored its first victory of the season by whipping Maryland 72-63 at College Park. In other southern contests, Murray downed Bradley 66-63, Marshall 100-95, Tulane overcame Texas 108-95 behind 36 points by Johnny Arthurs and North Texas edged Centenary 78-73 despite going without a field goal for 12 minutes in the second half.

Louisville invaded the Southwest and beat Southern Methodist 79-73 at Dallas behind 35 points by Butch Beard. Utah State nipped Denver 81-79, Marquette mauled Valparaiso 103-66 as George Thompson tallied 30 points and Oklahoma State crushed Fullerton, Calif., State 91-54.

Southern Mississippi beat West Texas 83-75 and East Tennessee took Illinois State 97-80 in the first round of the Hattiesburg, Miss., Invitational. In a doubleheader at Winter Park, Fla., Citadel beat Stetson 87-74 and Florida Southern defeated Rollins 80-70.

Midwinter Meet of SWC Starts

DALLAS (AP) — The midwinter meeting of the Southwest Conference started today with the head football coaches and athletic directors making recommendations to the faculty representatives.

Recruiting is expected to be one of the prime topics of conversation.

The SWC meeting will last for three days. An official statement is expected to be released Saturday by Howard Grubbs, executive secretary of the SWC.

Basketball

Pro Basketball By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

| Eastern Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|------|-------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
| Baltimore | 22 | 7 | .759 | — |
| Boston | 20 | 7 | .741 | 1 |
| Philadelphia | 18 | 7 | .720 | 2 |
| Cincinnati | 17 | 9 | .654 | 3 1/2 |
| New York | 14 | 16 | .467 | 8 1/2 |
| Detroit | 10 | 17 | .370 | 11 |
| Milwaukee | 7 | 22 | .241 | 15 |

| Western Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|------|--------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
| Los Angeles | 19 | 9 | .679 | — |
| San Diego | 14 | 15 | .483 | 5 1/2 |
| Atlanta | 14 | 5 | .483 | 5 1/2 |
| Seattle | 13 | 18 | .419 | 7 1/2 |
| San Fran. | 12 | 17 | .414 | 7 1/2 |
| Chicago | 12 | 18 | .400 | 8 |
| Phoenix | 6 | 21 | .222 | 12 1/2 |

| Wednesday's Results | | | | |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Baltimore 118, New York 110 | | | | |
| Cincinnati 116, San Diego 123 | | | | |
| Boston 108, Detroit 106 | | | | |
| Philadelphia 143, Phoenix 123 | | | | |
| Milwaukee 106, San Fran. 96 | | | | |

| Today's Games | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Atlanta at Seattle | | | | |
| Only game scheduled | | | | |
| Friday's Games | | | | |
| San Francisco at Boston | | | | |
| Phoenix vs. Cincinnati at Cleveland | | | | |
| San Diego at Milwaukee | | | | |
| New York at Chicago | | | | |
| Atlanta at Los Angeles | | | | |

| ABA | | | | |
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| Eastern Division | | | | |
| | W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
| Minnesota | 16 | 6 | .727 | — |
| Kentucky | 11 | 10 | .524 | 4 1/2 |
| New York | 8 | 13 | .381 | 7 1/2 |
| Miami | 8 | 14 | .364 | 8 |
| Indiana | 7 | 16 | .304 | 9 1/2 |

| Western Division | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|------|--------|
| | W. | L. | Pct. | G.B. |
| Oakland | 20 | 4 | .833 | — |
| Dallas | 10 | 9 | .526 | 7 1/2 |
| Denver | 11 | 10 | .524 | 7 1/2 |
| Los Angeles | 10 | 10 | .500 | 8 |
| New Orleans | 9 | 12 | .429 | 9 1/2 |
| Houston | 5 | 11 | .313 | 10 1/2 |

| Wednesday's Results | | | | |
|----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Kentucky 106, Houston 99 | | | | |
| Los Angeles 124, Minn. 116 | | | | |
| Indiana 117, Miami 100 | | | | |
| Only games scheduled | | | | |

| College Basketball Results | | | | |
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| East | | | | |
| Penn 58, Delaware 39 | | | | |
| Fordham 77, Syracuse 62 | | | | |
| LaSalle 96, Miami, Fla. 71 | | | | |
| Yale 63, Brown 59 | | | | |
| Niagara U. 89, Cornell 63 | | | | |
| New Hamp. 97, Connecticut 78 | | | | |
| Northeastern 77, St. Anselm's 67 | | | | |

| South | | | | |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Virginia 81, Duke 75 | | | | |
| Princeton 72, Maryland 63 | | | | |
| Duquesne 72, Catholic U. 48 | | | | |
| E. Caro. 77, Wm. & Mary 66 | | | | |
| Murray St. 66, Bradley 63 | | | | |
| Richmond 80, W. Virginia 79 | | | | |
| Tulane 108, Texas 95 | | | | |
| Citadel 87, Stetson 74 | | | | |
| Union 65, Bera 49 | | | | |
| No. Tex. St. 78, Centenary 73 | | | | |

| Midwest | | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Dayton 83, Miami, Ohio 55 | | | | |
| Notre Dame 57, Wisconsin 56 | | | | |
| Concordia, Minn. 68, No. Dak. 62 | | | | |
| Marquette 103, Valparaiso 66 | | | | |
| Evansville 86, Calif. West. 64 | | | | |
| Detroit 74, E. Michigan 72 | | | | |

| Southwest | | | | |
|------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Louisville 79, SMU 73 | | | | |
| Okl. St. 91, Calif. State 54 | | | | |
| N.M. St. 78, Arizona 72 | | | | |
| Far West | | | | |
| Utah State 81, Denver 79 | | | | |
| Weber St. 91, Hickam AF 69 | | | | |

| Phil Cutchin Is Fire at Oklahoma S. | | | | |
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| By DOUG TODD | | | | |
| STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) — | | | | |
| Time ran out in the fourth quarter Wednesday night for Phil Cutchin as Oklahoma State University football coach. | | | | |

| The OSU Board of Regents | | | | |
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| fired Cutchin, bringing to an end a week of bickering between supporters and opponents of the Kentuckian. | | | | |
| No date was set for Cutchin's release, although OSU President Dr. Robert B. Kamm recommended it be done at the earliest date. | | | | |

| Cutchin, who compiled a 19-38-2 record in six years at O-State, declined to comment on the action. However, he scheduled a press conference for noon today. | | | | |
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| The former assistant to Alabama Coach Paul "Bear" Bryant was noted for fielding hard-nosed football teams capable of bringing an upset against unwary opponents. | | | | |
| But the upsets were too few and the losses too many to satisfy disgruntled alumni. | | | | |

| Last week, several alumni petitioned the OSU athletic council to fire Cutchin. The council held four lengthy meetings as both supporters and opponents of the coach appeared before them. | | | | |
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| Tuesday night the council reached a decision and Wednesday morning, Chairman Randall Jones presented Kamm with the result. | | | | |
| Twelve hours later, Cutchin was out as head football coach. | | | | |

| The 47-year-old coach did not want to talk about the Regents' action Wednesday night. | | | | |
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| "I want to collect my thoughts," he said. There was a brief pause and then he added "I hadn't made any plans for losing." | | | | |
| Athletic Director Henry Iba, a Cutchin booster, said "Oklahoma State has lost an outstanding coach and an outstanding individual. I'm sorry to see Phil leave." | | | | |

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| Mentioned as a successor were former Oklahoma State F.A. Dry, an assistant with the professional Houston Oilers; Neil Armstrong, an ex-OSU star who now coaches in the Canadian Football League; and North Texas State Coach Rod Rust. | | | | |
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Bobkittens Edged by Fairview

By RALPH ROUNTON

Star Sports Writer

Unable to put forth a solid comeback, the Hope Bobkittens were beaten 35-28 by the Fairview Junior Cardinals in the opening game of the Fairview Invitational Tourney last night in Camden.

Now 1-2 for the season, the Kittens broke a long tradition of merciless defeats at the hands of Fairview, which included such scores as 71-11, 65-9, and 63-16. This time, however, a Hope press put forth in the second half just couldn't quite make up the deficit.

Trailing 18-10 at halftime, the Kittens used the full-court press as a surprise weapon. Late in the third segment they had pulled as close as a field goal behind at 22-20, only to fall back again when Fairview became accustomed to the pressing defense.

At 6:30 p.m. this evening the Lady Cats entered the first round of the Ouachita Tigerette Invitational Tournament in Arkadelphia, as the Ladies match forces with Hughes.

The Ouachita girls event has become a very successful 16-team affair, and last year it attracted at least five teams that eventually wound up in their state tournaments. A year ago Hope made it to the finals against almighty Bradley, only to lose 63-50 and settle for runners-up.

Friday night sends Hope teams over to Ashdown, but only the senior boys game is definitely on tap. If the Lady Cats win in Arkadelphia tonight they will have to play at OBU in the quarter-finals, but should the girls lose they will face Ashdown, insuring at least games on two successive nights.

Only one night of basketball is slated for next week, as the Bobkittens, Lady Cats, and Bobcats get a shot at Prescott in the Curley Wolves' gym. Next Friday is the last day of school before the Christmas holidays, and most teams will probably use that period to an advantage by practicing.

Coming into their own now after the fine 58-39 victory over Gurdon Tuesday night, the Bobcats look ahead to January when action in Region 4-AA begins. Competing in 4-AA's Western Division, the Bobcats have to face loaded Fairview, who made it to the state quarterfinals last winter.

Starting on January 3, the Bobcats travel to Magnolia to take on the Panthers, who are slightly off the caliber of play they attained the past few seasons. Over the Christmas holiday this column will have daily looks at the 4-AA teams, while the basketballers give the fans their first rest since August.

Hockey

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

| Wednesday's Results | | | | |
|----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Boston 2, New York 2, tie | | | | |
| Montreal 4, Toronto 4, tie | | | | |
| Chicago 6, St. Louis 3 | | | | |
| Pittsburgh 4, Minnesota 2 | | | | |
| Los Angeles 6, Detroit 3 | | | | |

| Only games scheduled | | | | |
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| Today's Games | | | | |
| St. Louis at Montreal | | | | |
| Toronto at Philadelphia | | | | |
| Detroit at Oakland | | | | |
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| Friday's Games | | | | |
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SWC Teams Now Below .500 Mark

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The Southwest Conference took two shots to the chin and sank below .500 against inter-sectional foes for the first time this season Wednesday night.

Undefeated Louisville nipped Southern Methodist 79-73 and Tulane outlasted Texas 108-95 to drop the SWC to a 14-15 mark for the year against outside competition.

Texas A&M tries to even things up tonight when it takes on Louisiana Tech at College Station in the only game involving a SWC team.

Butch Beard was too much for the Mustangs as he poured in 35 points with 12 field goals and 11 free throws. Mike Grosso finished with 21 points and 18 rebounds.

Gary Sibley paced the Mustangs with 23 points followed by Gene Phillips' 22.

Tulane streaked to a 59-44 halftime margin on a blistering 60 per cent shooting from the field. The Longhorns could come no closer than nine points in the final 20 minutes.

Johnny Arthurs hit 36 points to head the Green Wave scoring. Bruce Motley led Texas with 25 points. Wayne Doyal had 20 and Kurt Papp 19.

Tulane finished with 54 per cent from the field. Texas shot 50 per cent—which normally wins most games.

Chaparral Player

DALLAS (AP) — Charles Beasley of the Dallas Chaparrals has a cracked toe and will miss Saturday night's ABA game against Los Angeles.



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One Division Title to Be Determined

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — The new four-division system in the National Football League finds three champions crowned before the final week and only the Chicago-Minnesota battle in the Central Division still to be determined.

Dallas already has won the Capitol, Cleveland the Century and Baltimore the Coastal. In the old days when the league was split only into an Eastern and Western Conference, there still would be a fight in the East with Dallas holding a one-game edge over Cleveland. Baltimore would have been home safe in any case.

Just for kicks, here is the way they would line up under the old system.

Eastern Conference
Dallas 11-2
Cleveland 10-3
St. Louis 8-4-1
New York 7-6
Washington 4-9
New Orleans 3-9-1
Pittsburgh 2-10-1
Philadelphia 2-11
Western Conference
Baltimore 12-1
Los Angeles 10-2-1
Chicago 7-6
Minnesota 7-6
San Francisco 6-6-1
Green Bay 5-7-1
Detroit 4-7-2
Atlanta 2-11
You get some weird standings if you confine the present four divisions to games played among the teams in their own

\$50,000 Fire at Arkadelphia

ARKADELPHIA, Ark. (AP) — Fire caused an estimated \$50,000 damage Tuesday as it swept through the General Marine Industrial Inc. of Arkadelphia, which manufactures aluminum boats. Equipment inside the building was a total loss as were many boats stored in the plant, said W. R. Doggett, president and general manager of the company.

Here's the way it would look with one game to go:

Century Division
St. Louis 4-0-1
Cleveland 4-1
New Orleans 1-4
Pittsburgh 0-4-1
Capital Division
New York 5-0
Dallas 4-1
Washington 2-4
Philadelphia 0-6
Central Division
Minnesota 2
Chicago 3-2
Detroit 3-2-1
Green Bay 0-4-1
Coastal Division
Baltimore 5-0
Los Angeles 3-1-1
San Francisco 1-3-1
Atlanta 0-5

It is interesting to note that Green Bay did not win a single game in its own division, managing only a tie with Detroit. Of course, the Packers still have one big game to go against the Bears Sunday.

When the powers that be get around to setting up the merged leagues for 1970, they might be interested in tossing around some of those division standings with an eye on future scheduling.

L.A. Tosses Block at Minnesota

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Los Angeles threw at least a temporary stumbling block into Minnesota's title drive, and Kentucky used a come-from-behind rally to take advantage of it in the American Basketball Association Wednesday night.

The Pipers, down 64-49 at the half, couldn't quite pull off a last half surge and lost to Los Angeles 124-116. Kentucky, meanwhile, shaved Minnesota's Eastern Division lead to 4½ games with a 106-99 victory over Houston. Indiana routed Miami 117-100 in the night's other game.

In the National Basketball Association, Baltimore checked New York 118-110, Cincinnati stopped San Diego 118-110, Boston nipped Detroit 108-106, Philadelphia rolled over Phoenix 143-123 and Milwaukee beat San Francisco 106-96.

Minnesota's Connie Hawkins scored 47 points but it couldn't offset Los Angeles' balanced attack. Warren Davis collected 26 points for the Stars, Larry Miller contributed 24 and Ben Warley chipped in with 23. Warley hit on 4-of-4 three-point baskets. Hawkins was a virtual one-man show for the Pipers, connecting on 16 of 24 field goal attempts.

Minnesota rallied in the second half but couldn't cope with the Stars' Davis, who tallied 22 points after the intermission. The loss only was the Pipers' second in their last 11 starts. Houston, down 31-17 at the end

of the first period, rallied to a 51-50 lead in the third quarter before Kentucky got hot and moved back into the lead.

Jim Ligon paced the Colonels with 25 points, while Louie Dampier and Darrel Carrier had 21 each. The Mavericks were led by Keith Swagerty with 24.

The Pacers fired in 16 of 28 from the floor in the first quarter for a 37-25 lead, and the Floridians never got closer than 13 points after that. Mel Daniels, who netted 17 in the first half, finished with 26 points for the Pacers and teammate Fred Lewis added 25. Skip Thoren had 23 for Miami.

Baylor Going to Ranks of Assistants

WACO, Tex. (AP) — Baylor's search for a head football coach appears to be concentrating on the assistant ranks.

The Baylor faculty athletic council interviewed a Southwest Conference assistant Wednesday for the second consecutive day—Mike Campbell of the University of Texas.

The day before Arkansas assistant Cecil (Hootie) Ingram dropped in for a talk with Edwin P. Horner, chairman of the athletic council.

There had been reports that Jerry Claiborne, head coach at Virginia Tech, was the top prospect. Claiborne's team plays in the Liberty Bowl game this weekend.

Before the search started for John Bridgers' replacement, school president Abner V. McCall said Baylor hoped to land a "top assistant in some successful program."

The Negro Community

By ESTER HICKS
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— Shipley Studio photo
colors. Dr. David Newbern of Little Rock served as Master of Ceremonies for the program, and Dr. Forney Holt introduced the faculty members present and made a few remarks.

Several prizes were given for certain distinctions: Jo Ann Card Ward, most children (4); Billie Rhea Hatch Evans, traveled the farthest (from Wichita, Kan.); Beville Osborn, youngest child (few months old); Maxine Rogers Simms, shortest skirt.

Ky. Wesleyan Heads Small College Poll

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Powerful Kentucky Wesleyan, which has turned back 24 straight foes including three this season, is the No. 1 team in The Associated Press' first small college basketball poll of the season.

The Panthers, winners of last March's NCAA small college tournament, drew all but three of the 13 first-place votes for 200 points in the balloting by a regional panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

Wesleyan has defeated McMurry 97-65, Indiana State 73-69 in overtime and Union, Tenn., 101-81 this season.

Central State of Ohio, named first on two ballots in picking up 167 points, was second despite a 2-1 record—including a 95-91 loss to No. 12 West Virginia State.

Ashland, Ohio, 3-0, as third and Trinity, Tex., 4-1, fourth. Trinity was a third-place finisher in the NCAA tournament, beating out Ashland in the consolation game.

Long Beach State, 4-0, was fifth, followed by No. 6 Cheyney State, 2-0; No. 7 Southwest Missouri State, 3-1; No. 8 Southwestern Louisiana, 3-3; No. 9 Fairmont State, W. Va., 4-0, and No. 10 Youngstown, 3-0.

The Top 20, with first-place votes, records and total points:

1. Ky. Wesleyan (10) 3-0 200
2. Central St., Ohio (2) 2-1 167
3. Ashland, Ohio 3-0 113
4. Trinity, Tex. 4-1 111
5. Long Beach St. 4-0 82
6. Cheyney St., Pa. 2-0 79
7. SW Missouri St. 3-1 61
8. SW Louisiana 3-3 55
9. Fairmont St., W. Va. 4-0 48
10. Youngs'n, Ohio (1) 3-0 40
11. Cannon, Pa. 2-3 39
12. Tie, W. Va. St. 2-0 38
13. Nevada Southern 3-1 38
14. Tie, San Diego St. 2-0 36
15. Kenyon, Ohio 3-1 36
16. Earlham 3-1 30
17. Tie, Evansville, Ind. 0-1 28
18. Westminster, Pa. 2-3 28
19. Tie, Wines-Salem St. 2-1 23
20. Monmouth St., N.J. 4-0 23

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HOLIDAY SPECIAL ON permanent at Earlene's Beauty Salon. For an appointment call 777-6631.

15. Used Furniture

LUCK'S USED FURNITURE CO. See me before buying or selling. H. E. Luck, 904 North Hazel, 777-4381.

WALKER'S NEW & USED Furniture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main. Give highest prices for your furniture. Will sell-trade-or buy.

21. Used Cars

WANTED — Late model used cars and pickup trucks. Hope Volks-Wagen Inc. See James Gaines or J. B. Ingram Jr. Phone: 777-5726 or 777-6100.

WANTED — USED CARS and trucks. Cash paid. Harry Phillips Used Cars, 1010 West 3rd, 777-2522.

24. Used Trucks

1966 FORD twin - I-beam half ton pickup. Clean. Standard transmission. Custom cab. 777-6743.

46. Produce

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48. Slaughtering

RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom Slaughtering. Meat for your deep freeze. We buy cattle and hogs.

CUSTOM Slaughtering Beef or pork cut and wrapped for your deep freeze. Contact BARRY'S GROCERY, 777-4404.

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FOR SALE REGISTERED Black Angus Bulls. Ages two years and younger from excellent breeding stock. Prices reasonable. Telephone 921-4937 day time, or phone 921-4951 at night. Glenn Parks Angus Farms, Lewisville, Arkansas.

SOUPS ON, the rug that is, so clean the spot with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer. Home Furniture Co.

HAVOLINE OIL, 39 quart \$9.00 a case. Also 10x30, Delaneys Grocery 777-3701.

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DUPLIX APARTMENT — unfurnished. No bills paid. Nice neighborhood. Private entrance. Prefer couple. Call 777-6743.

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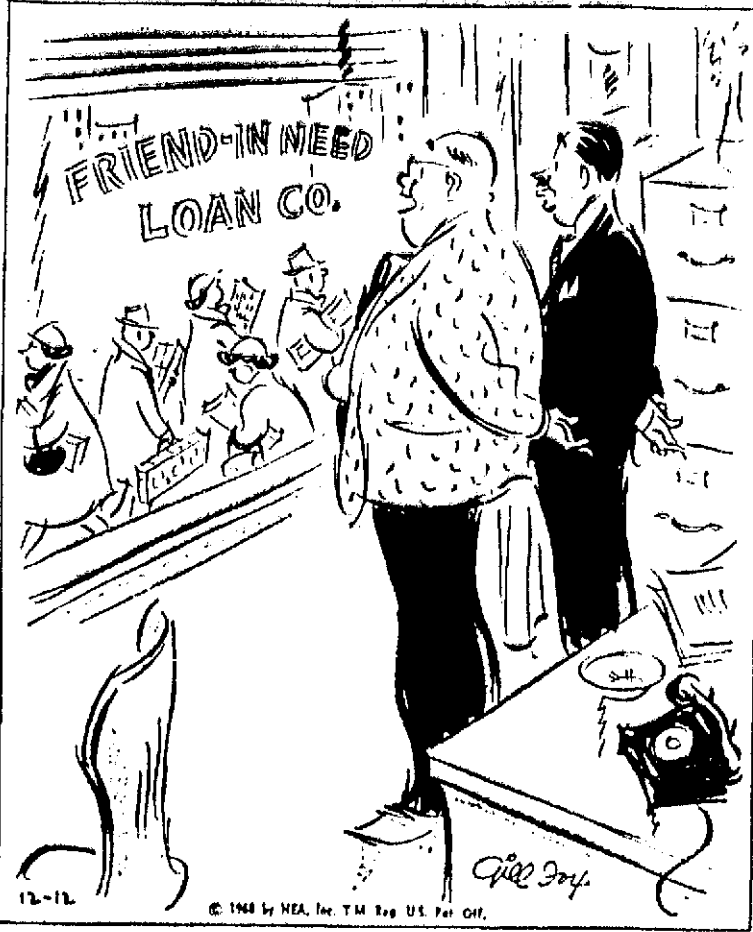
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SIDE GLANCES

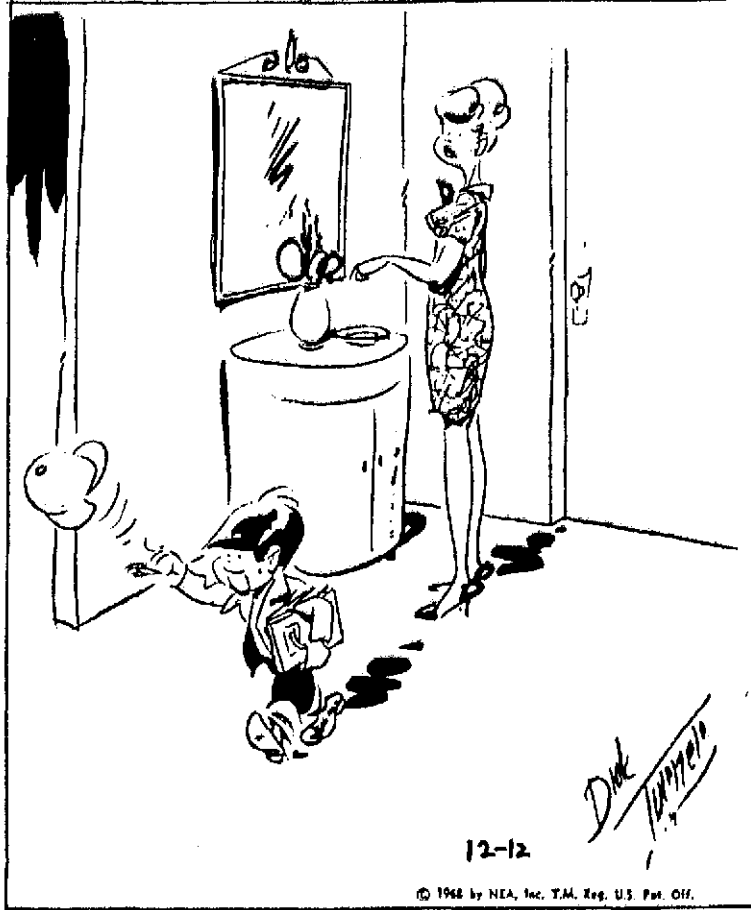
By GILL FOX



"Bless their generous hearts! Buying presents with next month's rent money!"

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"Big day at school today! Fort Sumter was shelled, terrible fight at Gettysburg; and Mr. Lincoln got shot!"

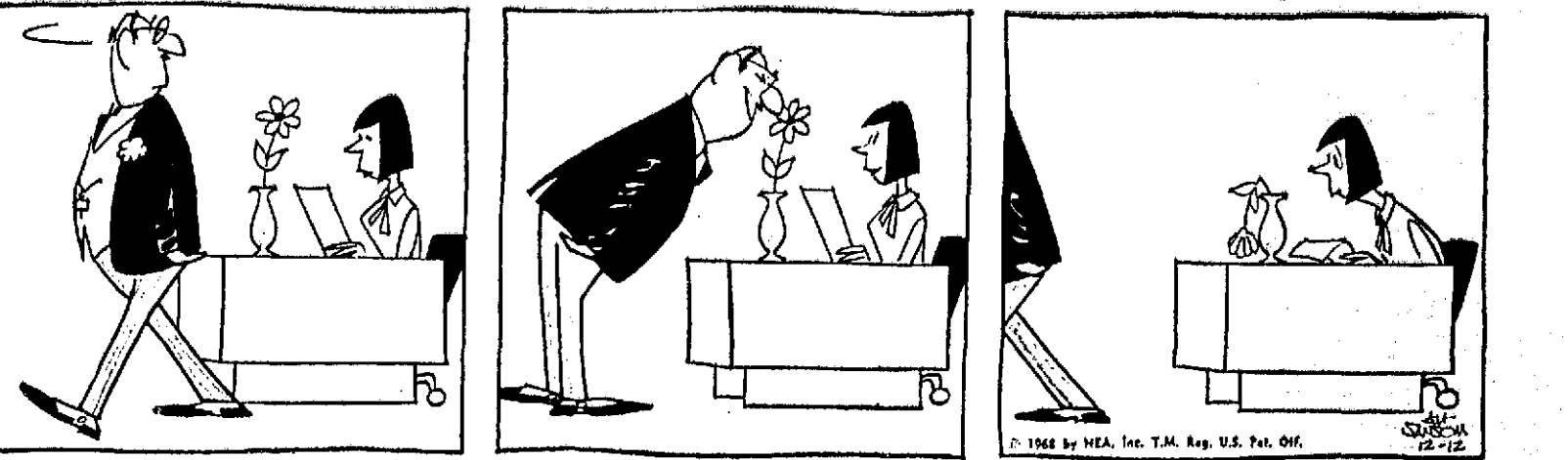
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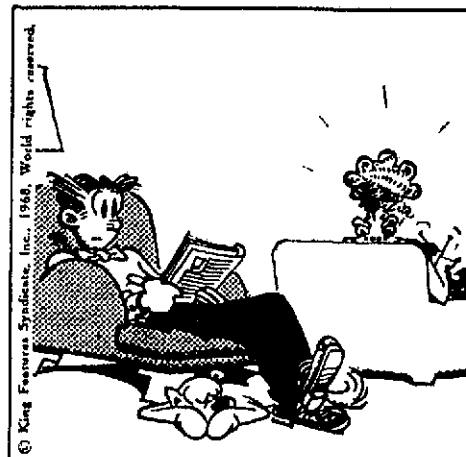
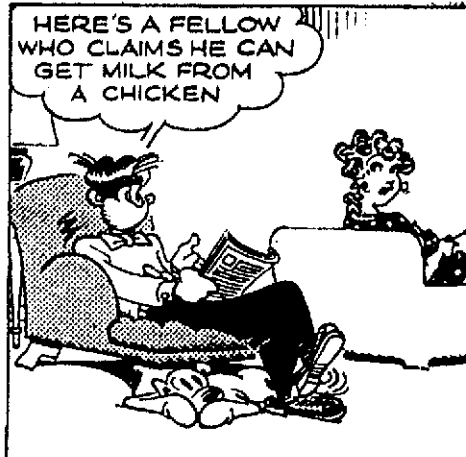
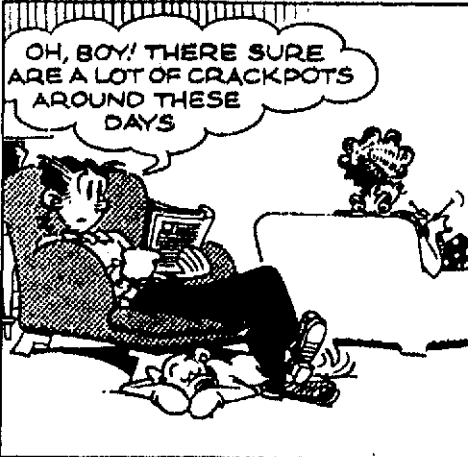


QUICK QUIZ

BLONDIE

Q—When was the phrase "under God" added to the pledge of allegiance to the American Flag?
A—On June 14, 1954, with the signing of Public Law 396, 83rd Congress, by President Eisenhower.

Q—Does the term "tabby" refer to a female cat?
A—Female cats have commonly been called "tabbies" but the term "tabby" properly means that the cat's body has stripes and colored patches.



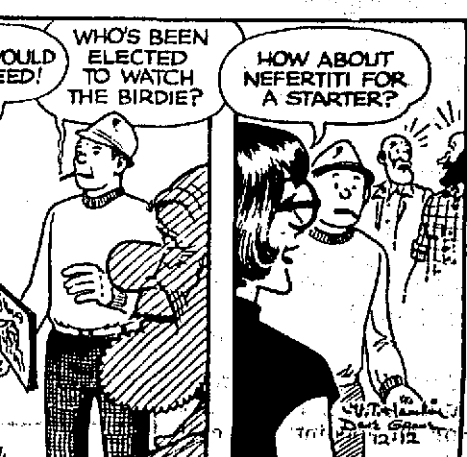
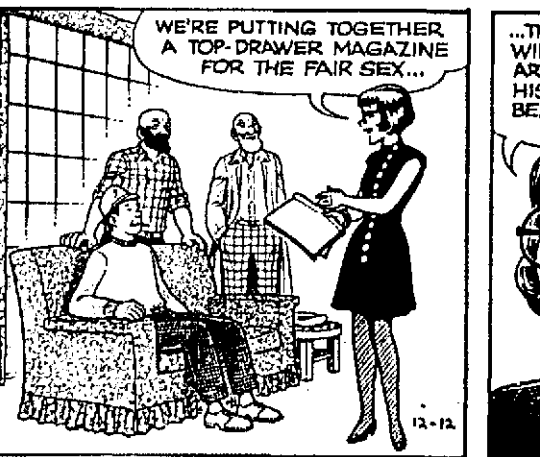
TIZZY

by Kate Osann



"Marge, do you baby-sit with the Taylor kids? I thought I ought to warn you—they're both taking violin lessons!"

ALLEY OOP



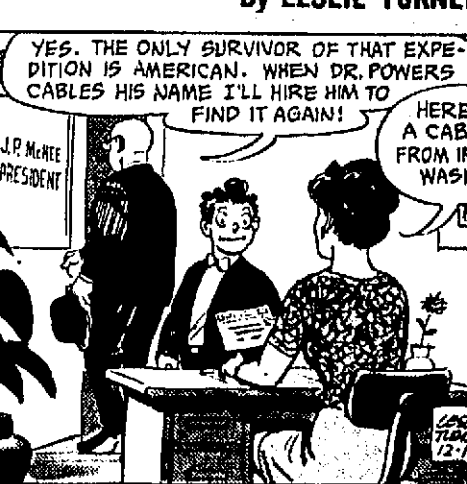
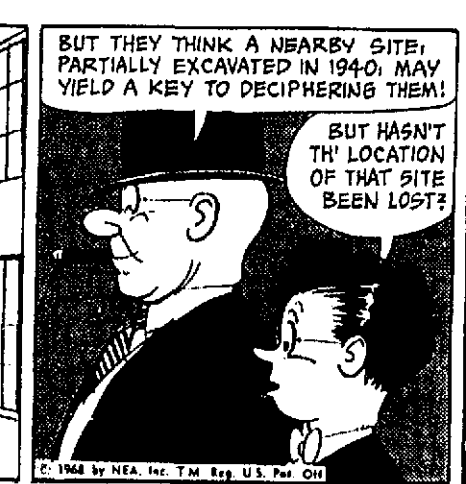
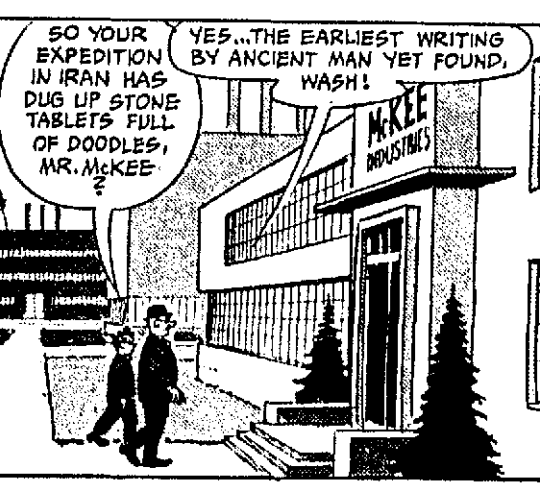
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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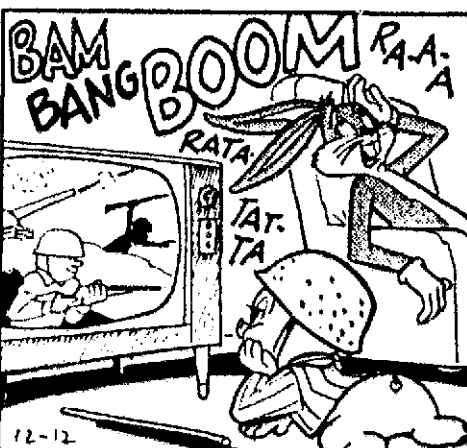


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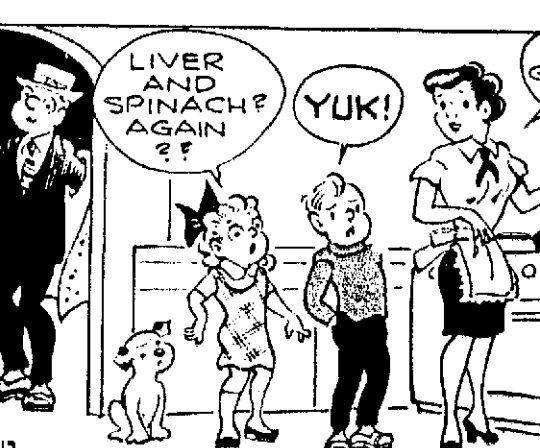
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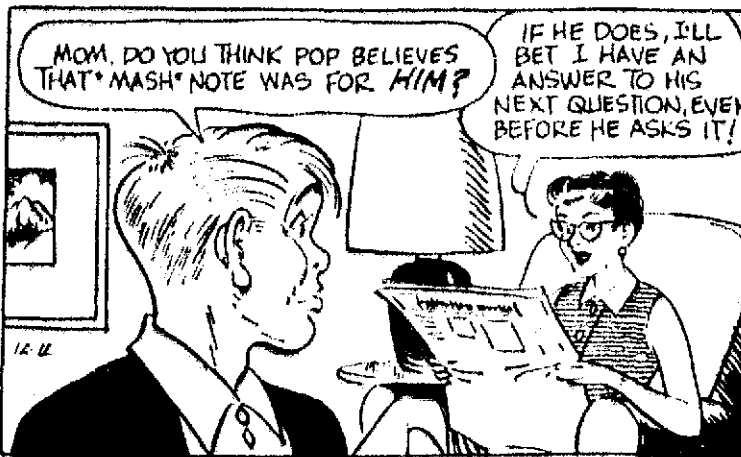
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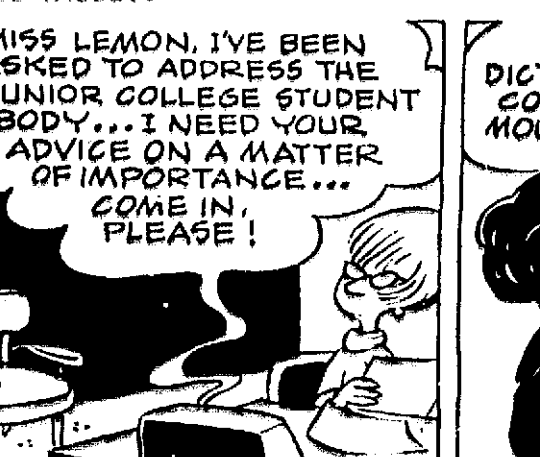
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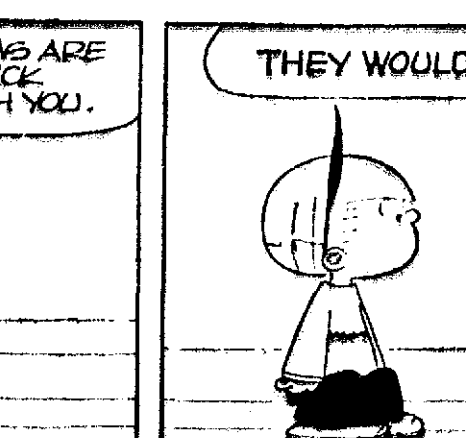
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By JOAN CROSBY
NEA Entertainment Editor

NEW YORK — (NEA) — Roger Englander is too young, thin and headless ever to be mistaken for Santa Claus, but come Christmas Day and music lovers could be forgiven for mistaking him for the old gentleman.

Englander is producer of two CBS-TV shows, the first of the season's New York Philharmonic Young People's Concerts with Leonard Bernstein and the repeat of the highly acclaimed Vladimir Horowitz: A Television Concert at Carnegie Hall.

Working with a pair of musical geniuses has made Englander an expert on their quirks. He sums them up like this: "Both are acknowledged leaders in their field. One, Bernstein, is of an age eager to perform and meet people. The other, Horowitz, is just the opposite and now

think it's all that had.

"Material is used up too fast," he says, "and most of children's programming is factory-made. I'm not upset by horror as most people are. Children are amused by it. There are too many psychiatrists around. When you take the conflict out of children's programming, you are left with 'Little Women'."

"The parents I don't understand are those who meter out TV. Television is excellent for children. It has improved their reading habits and their vocabulary. Most children understand scientific movies far better than I do. They approach everything without prejudice or preconceptions. We adults are all filled with confusion."

Geisel has no children of his own but, as he says, "I have met several."

And millions of them have



Theodor Seuss Geisel

"Too many psychiatrists around."

met him through his enchanting books.



Roger Englander

"Ladies and gentlemen, Vladimir Horowitz."

is just warming up to the acceptance of his public role. Horowitz, once an extremely shy, nervous man who had to retire from public life when the pressures became too much for him, has returned surer of himself and happier.

"He took the whole TV appearance as a great game," says Englander. "He was fascinated by the technical equipment. He was as much a child about being on TV as he was when his first album, after his return to the concert stage, wound up number one on the record charts. He called Columbia every couple of days to see how the sales were doing."

Englander, a Cleveland native, was not only producer and director of the Horowitz concert. He also wrote the script. It was five words long: "Ladies and gentlemen: Vladimir Horowitz."

He says he didn't have to do much rewriting.

He's a tall, good-looking man with a soft, deep speaking voice, a shock of white hair and the humorous manner of a man who has never quite forgotten the joys of childhood. He says he is Theodore Geisel, but many of us know better. He really and truly is Dr. Seuss.

There may be someone, somewhere who has never been a child and thus has never heard of Dr. Seuss. For that poor soul there is an explanation. Geisel, who writes under the pseudonym, is the author of 26 children's books, the president of the Beginner's Book Division of Random House and the creator of the Grinch and the Whos.

His animated TV special, How the Grinch Stole Christmas, is due for a repeat showing on CBS-TV on Dec. 22.

Unlike many people who use children's TV as a whipping post, Geisel doesn't



PENTAGON REPORTS indicate that Col. Elizabeth Holmstrom, head of the Women's Army Corps, may soon become the first woman general in the U.S. Army.

Television Logs

Thursday

| Night | Time | Program |
|-------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 | 2 | What's New |
| | 3 (C) | Truth or Consequences |
| | 1:30 | News, Weather, Sports |
| 6:30 | 2 | Arkansas Game and Fish |
| | 2:30 | Ugliest Girl in Town |
| | 4-6 (C) | Daniel Boone |
| | 11-12 (C) | Blondie |
| 7:00 | 2 | Communications |
| | 3-7 (C) | Flying Nun |
| | 11-12 (C) | Hawaii Five-O |
| 7:30 | 2 | Net Jazz |
| | 3-7 (C) | Bewitched |
| | 4-6 (C) | Ironsides |
| 8:00 | 2 | Suor Angelica |
| | 3-7 (C) | That Girl |
| | 11 (C) | Movie |
| | 12 | Movie |
| | 12 | "A Child Is Waiting" |
| 8:30 | 2 | Journey To The Unknown |
| | 4-6 (C) | Dragnet |
| | 4-6 (C) | Dean Martin |
| 9:30 | 2 | World We Live In |
| | 7 (C) | Win With The Stars |
| | 7 (C) | Arkansas Jaycees |
| 10:00 | 2 | News, Weather, Sports |
| | 3-4-6-7-11-12 (C) | Joey Bishop |
| 10:30 | 3-7 (C) | Johnny Carson |
| | 4-6 (C) | Arkansas Sportsman |
| 10:40 | 12 (C) | Paul Harvey |
| 10:45 | 12 | Movie |
| | 12 | "The Prince Who Was A Thief" |
| 11:00 | 11 | Movie |
| | 11 | "Machine Gun Kelly" |
| 12:00 | 6 | Evening Devotional |

Friday

| Morning | Night |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| 5:45 | 6:00 |
| 5:55 | What's New |
| | Truth or Consequences |
| 6:00 | 3 (C) |
| 6:20 | News, Weather, Sports |
| 6:30 | 4-6-7-11-12 (C) |
| | Economics |
| | Heritage |
| 6:40 | Operation Entertainment |
| 6:45 | 3-7 (C) |
| 6:50 | High Chaparral |
| 7:00 | Wild Wild West |
| | ABC Newsman Answer |
| | 7 (C) |
| | Economics |
| | 2 |
| | Playing The Guitar |
| 7:05 | 2 |
| | Felony Squad |
| 7:30 | 3-7 (C) |
| | Name of the Game |
| | 4-6 (C) |
| | Comer Pile, USMC |
| | 11-12 (C) |
| 7:55 | 2 |
| | Chapel Concerts |
| 8:00 | 3-7 (C) |
| | Don Rickles |
| | Movie |
| | 12 (C) |
| | "Advance to The Rear" |
| | Movie |
| | 11 (C) |
| | "Black Widow" |
| 8:30 | 2 |
| | UN Concert |
| | Guns of Will Sonnett |
| | 3-7 (C) |
| 9:00 | 2 |
| | Judd |
| | 3-7 (C) |
| | Star Trek |
| | 4-6 (C) |
| 9:25 | 2 |
| | News, Weather, Sports |
| | 3-4-6-7-11-12 (C) |
| 9:30 | 3 (C) |
| | Movie |
| | "Blood on The Moon" |
| | 12 |
| | Johnny Carson |
| | 4-6 (C) |
| | Movie |
| | 7 (C) |
| | "Hell and High Water" |
| | Movie |
| | 11 (C) |
| | "How to Be Very, Very Popular" |
| 10:00 | 3-7 (C) |
| | Dick Van Dyke |
| | 11-12 |
| | Bewitched |
| | 3-7 (C) |
| | Jeopardy |
| | 4-6 (C) |
| | Love of Life |
| | 11-12 (C) |
| 11:00 | 12:00 |
| | News |
| | 11-12 (C) |
| 11:30 | 12:30 |
| | Treasure Isle |
| | 3 (C) |
| | Eye Guess |
| | 4-6 (C) |
| | Vic Ames |
| | 7 (C) |
| | Search for Tomorrow |
| | 12 (C) |
| 11:55 | 4 (C) |
| | Paul Harvey |
| | News |
| | 6 (C) |

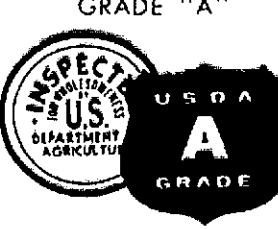
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| 12:00 | 3 (C) |
| | Dream House |
| | Little Rock Today |
| | 4 (C) |
| | TV Party Line |
| | 6 (C) |
| | News, Weather |
| | 12 (C) |
| | Eye on Arkansas |
| | 11 (C) |
| 12:30 | 3-7 (C) |
| | Funny You Should Ask |



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Leak Could Delay the Moon Shot

By HOWARD BENEDICT
AP Aerospace Writer
CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — Engineers and technicians worked today to fix a leak in a first stage engine of the giant Apollo 8 moon rocket, hoping it will not delay the Dec. 21 blast-off of man's first journey to the moon.

Top officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration planned to meet during the day to assess the problem and determine whether the engine must be replaced.

If the switch is made, a NASA spokesman said it would require at least three weeks, which would wipe out a Christmas-time moon orbit by Air Force Col. Frank Borman, Navy Capt. James A. Lovell Jr. and Air Force Maj. William A. Anders.

The spokesman said a change probably would require rolling the 36-story-tall rocket back to an assembly building three and one-half miles from the launch pad and a complete rerun of all tests that have been completed.

Other sources reported the engine could be swapped on the pad and all necessary tests completed in three days, enabling NASA to hold to the present launch date. However, officials might feel more secure if they worked in the assembly building.

NASA reported Wednesday night after the leak was discovered:

"It is a matter of concern, there is no doubt about that. But present indications are that we will not have to change the engine nor should this affect the launch date of Dec. 21."

Pressure tests were conducted throughout the night as the launch crew trouble-shot the problem, which is in a drain line that bleeds off excess propellant from a fuel pump in one of the five first stage engines of the three-stage Saturn 5. The big danger it poses is igniting too great a fire in the rocket exhaust as the Saturn 5 blasts into space.

NASA reported there was a high leak rate in the line, which permits normal seepage of fuel, including some used as lubricant while the rocket is lifting to space.

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1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup flaked coconut
1/2 cup coarsely chopped pecans
1 unbaked 9-inch pie shell
Prepared whipped topping
1/2 cup (about) flaked coconut

Combine sugar, salt, and syrup in saucepan. Bring to boil over high heat, stirring until sugar is dissolved. Boil 2 minutes. Remove from heat, add chocolate and butter, stirring until chocolate is melted and mixture is smooth and blended. Gradually pour over eggs, stirring constantly. Add vanilla, 1 cup coconut, and the nuts; mix well. Pour into pie shell. Bake at 375° for 40 to 45 minutes, or until filling is puffed in center and outside edge is set. Cool. Garnish with whipped topping. Sprinkle with about 1/2 cup coconut, toasted, if desired.

Peace Talks No Nearer to Solution

By MICHAEL GOLDSMITH
Associated Press Writer
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Famous Folks Aboard Plane Hijacked

By JOHN VAN GIESON
Associated Press Writer
MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Passengers aboard a hijacked jetliner ate steak in Cuba Wednesday while their calm hijacker and his woman companion waited for 6 1/2 hours in a room at Havana airport.

Seven crew members and all but two of the 32 passengers aboard the inaugural flight of a Nashville-to-Miami Trans-World Airlines route returned to Miami Wednesday night aboard separate planes.

The hijack couple, both appearing in their 20s, were detained at the airport for 6 1/2 hours before they were taken away by Cuban authorities. Newsmen in Cuba reported the man, who carried a trumpet, and the woman dozed on couches.

Usually hijackers are met at the plane by Cuban authorities and whisked away immediately. Two passengers, country singer Tex Ritter and professional golfer Mason Rudolph, said the Cubans fed the stranded travelers grapefruit juice, beer, steaks and sandwiches during their nine-hour stay.

"You had the feeling they were milking it for what it was worth," Ritter said after returning to Miami. "At the end of the day you decided they were pretty nice people. I think that's what they had in mind."

"It was not bad at all. I think most of the people rather enjoyed it except we had about a 2 1/2 hours bus ride" to Varadero, where the passengers were picked up by a second plane, Ritter said.

Ritter said FBI agents showed him pictures of Eldridge Cleaver, fugitive Black Panther leader, and three other men but he could identify none of them as the hijacker. Federal authorities questioned the passengers for about an hour when they returned to Miami.

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About the same time the hijacked plane was flying between Nashville and Havana, Cleaver's wife, Kathleen, was being interviewed in a friend's Manhattan apartment by a reporter for the New York Times.

"Officially," Mrs. Cleaver said, "the last time I saw Eldridge was Nov. 24. But unofficially, I saw him last night."

Mrs. Cleaver, 23, said her husband did not intend to return to prison in San Francisco, adding: "He'll be assassinated if he goes back. They tried to kill him three times before, in prison..."

"Eldridge told me he would rather be killed in a fair fight out in the open than be taken back to prison."

WR Selects Assistant

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller Tuesday appointed Robert Faulkner, a Malvern attorney, to serve as the governor's legislative assistant in the Arkansas House.

Faulkner, who served in the same capacity during two special sessions of the legislature this year, served as a campaign official for Rockefeller during the recent election campaign.



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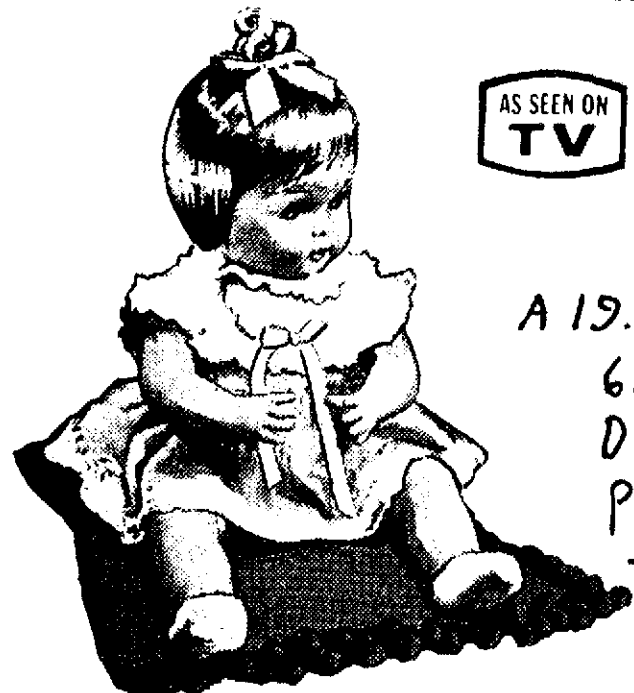
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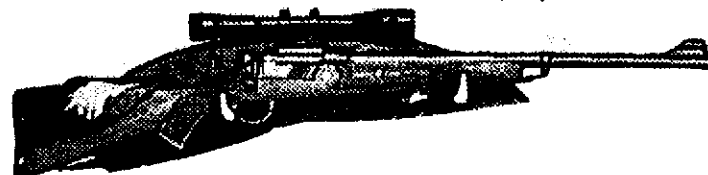
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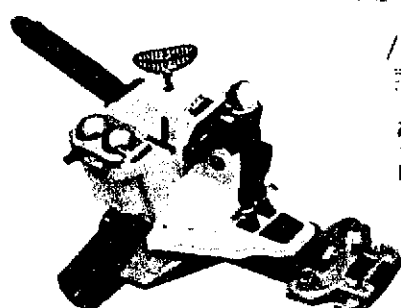
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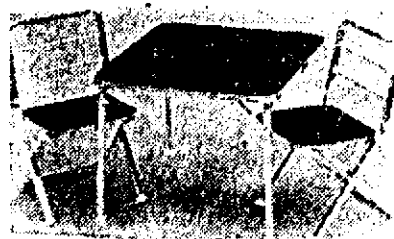
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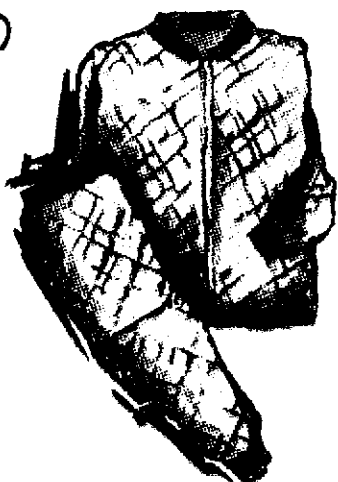
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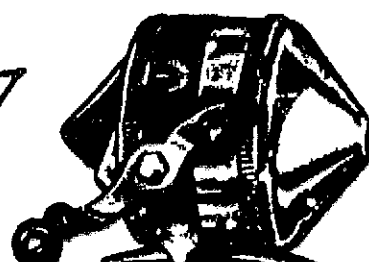
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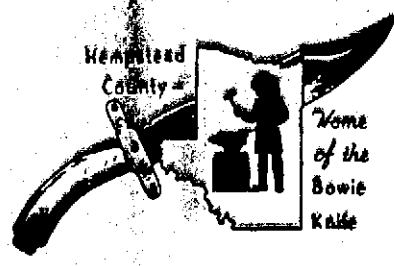
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O.A. Graves One
of Those Who Stopped
Private Toll Bridge

One of the names synonymous with Hope for two generations was O.A. Graves, who started as a country school teacher, became dean of Arkansas attorneys and a bank chairman, and died Wednesday at 92.

If I had a special feeling for Mr. Graves because he was the attorney who helped me put together the consolidation of Hope's newspapers into today's Star, in 1923, what I want to write about today is his performance in public service.

This generation will remember Mr. Graves as attorney, banker, ally of the public schools, and a lay leader in the Methodist church. But there was still another side to the man — that of the stout and courageous fighter when the public interest was at stake.

When I came into Hope the second week of January, 1929, to close up the options I had taken on the two local dailies I had a partner with a 50-50 interest, the late Clyde E. Palmer of Texarkana — and it was Mr. Palmer who recommended that I consult Mr. Graves on the contracts closing. In the course of our consultations Mr. Graves remarked unexpectedly:

"You have a courageous and fighting partner. He and I were allies a few years back when we managed to beat an attempt to put a privately owned toll bridge across Red River at Fulton."

I got the rest of the story the next time I saw Mr. Palmer. It was this: Palmer's close friend and some-time trading partner, the late Charles M. Conway of Texarkana, got the notion that it was time the Fulton ferry was replaced with a bridge — and, from his viewpoint, it ought to be a money-making private toll bridge.

Mr. Palmer, Mr. Graves, and other public-spirited men in Southwest Arkansas had a different idea. They, too, wanted a bridge — but publicly-owned with the tolls discharging the debt until the bridge would finally become a free one.

Mr. Palmer broke with his friend Conway and attacked the private bridge venture. Over here, Mr. Graves marshalled opposition and lined up Hempstead and adjoining east-of-the-river counties with the Texarkana newspaper publisher. The fight raged through the early 1920's and extended clear to federal highway agencies in Washington, D.C.

The issue divided important people in both Texarkana and Hope—for the nation was then at the cross-roads on the question of private versus public toll bridges. But eventually the private bridge opponents won and our section followed the national trend to public toll bridges that would eventually become free.

"We couldn't have won without Mr. Graves' courageous and steadfast help. He lined up the folks east of Red River—and that was decisive," Mr. Palmer told me.

Mr. Graves is gone. But for a generation there has been a monument to his courageous and unselfish fight in the public interest—our free bridge across Red River at Fulton.

Charmettes Plan Holiday Ball

The Charmettes Social Club will sponsor a dance at the Yvonne High School Gym, Hope, Ark., on December 27, 9:00 p.m., until 1:00 p.m. Music will be furnished by "The Grand Pres," Boys Industrial School, Wrightsville, Ark.

Presale tickets are on sale for \$1.00, tickets at door will be \$1.50. You may secure tickets from any member of the Charmettes.



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Left to right front row: Harold Eakley, Jerry Winer, Bill Watson, Bob Moers and Clyde Bouse. At back is Guy E. Basye, Houston Gunter, Frank King, Paul O'Neal and Robert LaGrone.

No Surprises in Nixon's Cabinet

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — President-elect Nixon has named a no-surprises, no-Democrats cabinet that he says will bring "an extra dimension" to the handling of the nation's problems.

"I can assure you these are strong men. They are compassionate men. They are good men," Nixon said in an easygoing, informal manner as he announced the makeup of his official family Wednesday night before a national television-radio audience.

Reaching into the ranks of Republican governors, high-powered businessmen and education officials, Nixon named:

SEE NO SURPRISES
(On Page Thirteen)

In Confused Times Few Things Are as Confused as Sexes Themselves

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — We live in confused times, and few things are more confusing than the sexes themselves.

It is getting harder to tell them apart as men and women tend to ape each other more in manners, dress and talk. Some say that differences between the sexes aren't of much importance any longer anyway. They feel that society is headed toward a future in which there will be only one gender—unisex.

While such a situation certainly would end the present puzzle, there are those among us who are old-fashioned enough to prefer a world in which there are two sexes—and ways to distinguish them.

There is no doubt it has become increasingly difficult to tell the sexes apart, and it is certainly far more difficult than the traditional task of separating the sheep from the goats. But there are means available to do the job in most cases.

For example:
If it is too lazy to scrub out the ring it leaves in the bathtub,

Schools Meet About Merger

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Little Rock University Board of Trustees was to meet today to consider a plan for merger of the institution with the University of Arkansas.

The group was expected to approve a proposal by Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller.

Rockefeller has said the merger of the two schools should be contingent on the establishment of a community junior college in Pulaski County.

Congressmen to Be Honored

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Arkansas' congressional delegation will be honored here Dec. 17 at a luncheon sponsored by Arkansas school superintendents.

The State Advisory Council on Police for Titles I, II and III, composed of 38 superintendents representing more than half of the school population in Arkansas, will present a position paper on federal aid to education.

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War Dead in Vietnam Now at 30,000

SAIGON (AP) — The U.S. Command announced today that 192 Americans were killed in combat in Vietnam last week, pushing the war's toll of U.S. combat dead past 30,000.

By midnight Saturday, the U.S. Command said, a total of 30,057 Americans had been killed in combat in Vietnam since Jan. 1, 1961. In the same period of nearly seven years, the U.S. Command said, at least 422,979 of the enemy have been killed.

Last week's total was 36 less than the 228 Americans reported killed the week before. The command said 1,110 Americans were wounded, with 424 of them hospitalized, compared with 1,094 the week before.

The report raised to 189,269 the number of Americans wounded in the Vietnam war. American spokesmen said 1,715 of the enemy were killed last week, a figure that is certain to increase as more reports come in. It said the enemy toll for the week before, reported last Thursday as 2,689 killed, now has increased to 2,727.

Final Rites Friday for O.A. Graves

Final rites for Oscar Augustus Graves, 92, local attorney who died Wednesday, will be held at 3 p.m. Friday at First Methodist Church by the Rev. Everett Vinson. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery by Herndon Funeral Home.

Mr. Graves began his law practice in Hope in 1902, was Chairman of the Board of Citizens National Bank, a life-long member of the Methodist Church, a Mason and member of the WOW, and member of the Hempstead, Arkansas and American Bar Associations.

Immediate survivors are his wife, Mrs. Jett Black Graves, a son, Albert Graves; two sisters, Mrs. R.P. Barlow of Hope and Mrs. Grover Milford of Texarkana.

Patmos Gets \$7,529 for Schools

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Nixon Cabinet Has No Democrat, No Negroes and Is Conservative

By WALTER MEARS
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Richard M. Nixon has chosen as the men to help him achieve his campaign goal of uniting the country a Cabinet flavored by business, conservatism, caution and Republicanism.

It features no dissident liberals, no Democrats and no Negroes.

In naming his selections Wednesday night, Nixon said they were not yes men. Nevertheless, he will have to look elsewhere for the outspoken sort of dissident which, during the campaign, he promised to heed as president.

Typically, for the crucial top spots, Nixon chose men he knew well, old friends, many near his own age of 57.

William P. Rogers, 55, goes to the State Department with little diplomatic experience—but with something perhaps more important. He has the absolute confidence of the president-elect, a friend for more than 20 years.

Indeed, in three of what Nixon has called his six crises, Rogers was at his side.

So, too, Lt. Gov. Robert H. Finch, of California, is a friend of two decades. Finch, 43, will head the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. But if past performance is any guide, he also will be a constant counselor within the White House itself.

Atty. Gen.-designate John N. Mitchell, 55, can be expected to fill a similar role. There, too, close personal ties and trust appear to have been a key factor in the selection of a Nixon law partner. Mitchell's field has not been that of crime fighting—a key item in Nixon's campaign talk of the man who would be his attorney general—but in the arrangement of state and municipal bonds.

The Nixon Cabinet has its moderate to liberal Republicans. Finch fits that pattern, Michigan Gov. George Romney, 60 who is to be secretary of housing and urban development, typifies it.

But in such selections as Rep. Melvin R. Laird, 46, of Wisconsin for secretary of defense, and of Maurice H. Stans, 60, to head the Commerce Department, Nixon has stood fast with the Republican establishment.

As a campaigner, Nixon indicated there would be Democrats, or at least a Democrat, in See NIXON (on page two)

Two Masters Degrees will be conferred at Whitfield Masonic Lodge No. 239 by Evergreen Lodge No. 175 at 7 p.m. Friday, December 13.

Phillip Ballard of Hope has received an Honor Scholarship for the fall semester at Henderson State College. . . to qualify a student must be the top-ranking senior in his high school class or a member of the honor group who has scored in the top 10 percent. . . the scholarship may be renewed each semester for a four year period as long as the recipient maintains a "B" average. . . he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ballard of Hope.

Dr. Don Freel and Dr. Emmett Thompson attended the monthly meeting of the Southern Optometric Society in Camden Wednesday night at Chris' Steak House.

Hempstead County Singing Convention will meet Sunday, Dec. 15 at 1:30 p.m. at Friendship Methodist Church on Highway 24, between Blevins and McCaskill.

There will be a Country Music Jamboree Saturday, Dec. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Patmos school auditorium. . . special guests will be the Odum-Quartet. . . Santa Claus will be there with candy for the children. . . there is no admission.

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AP News Digest

THE NIXON CABINET President-elect Nixon names an all-Republican Cabinet that he says brings "an extra dimension" into attempts to solve the problems of the nation.

The Nixon Cabinet has a flavor of business, conservatism and Republicanism.

Melvin R. Laird, the new secretary of defense, may be tested when he tries to practice what he preached as the Republicans' congressional expert on Pentagon matters.

NATIONAL
Engineers work to repair a leak in a first-stage engine of the Apollo 8 rocket with the hope it will not delay the Christmas moon flight.

Passengers taken to Cuba aboard an airliner eat steak in Havana while authorities hold the hijacker and his woman companion.

West Virginians are going to try to make it some sort of a joyous Christmas for the children of the 78 entombed coal miners.

Alaska Sen. E. L. "Bob" Bartlett, one time gold miner and newsman, dies at 63.

Girl Santas collect more money for charity than bearded males. The red miniskirts and leotards help.

Arthur Hays Sulzberger, chairman of the board of the New York Times, dies at 77 after a long illness.

VIETNAM
The Vietnam peace talks appear no nearer to a start. Saigon's delegates are reported to have new doubts about the Americans.

A battle between 400 South Vietnamese and 200 of the enemy results in 31 deaths.

Senior Class Play Set for Friday Night

Susan McCain and Junanne Reynolds head the business committee for the annual Hope High School senior play.

Curtaintime for "Quit Your Kidding" — a three-act comedy-farce is set for 8 o'clock Friday night. Admission is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students.

Other members of the business committee are Sarah Vinson, Butch Reeves, Nancy Martinale, Jan Herring, Janet Foley, Larry White.

off the coast of Southern California recently . . . participating in the same operation was Radarman Marvin J. Russell, USN, son of Mrs. Wanda R. Brown of Prescott. . . he was aboard the USS Enterprise in the eight-day exercise.

The Hempstead County Chairman for the Christmas Seal campaign for 1968 reports that up to a week ago returns total \$841.45.

Airman Phillip J. DelVecchio Jr., son of Mrs. Jennie M. Del Vecchio of Hope, Ark., was recently graduated from a U.S. Air Force technical school at Chanute AFB, Ill. . . he was trained as a jet engine mechanic and has been assigned to Barksdale AFB, La. . . the airman is a graduate of Hope High and attended Texarkana Junior College.

Delmer Lee Carroll of Hope, Ark., has been accepted to the Conference of American Small Business Organizations, national organization of independent businessmen. . . as an independent trucker he has met the qualifications for membership. . . Mr. Carroll, his wife, Francis, and their two children reside at Rt. 2, Hope. . . he has been in the trucking industry for 20 years.

James Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Bell of Hope, was one of 25 Agriculture students at Southern State College taking a two-day course by the American Breeders Association recently. . . he is a sophomore science major and a member of the Agri Club at Southern State.

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Fighting Is Heavy, Spills Into DMZ

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer
SAIGON (AP) — U.S. Marines and North Vietnamese troops battled for 12 hours Wednesday, and the heavy fighting spilled over into the demilitarized zone, the U.S. command reported.

Twelve Marines and eight North Vietnamese were killed and 30 Marines were wounded, the command said.

Confirming earlier reports, the headquarters also announced that the number of American troops killed in action in the eight years of U.S. involvement in the war had passed the 30,000 mark. The weekly casualty report said 192 Americans died in combat last week, raising the total to 30,057 since Jan. 1, 1961.

In the same period, the U.S. Command said at least 422,979 Viet Cong and North Vietnamese have been killed, including 1,715 last week.

In the fighting along the northern frontier, U.S. fighter-bombers streaked over the southern edge of the demilitarized zone to attack about 200 North Vietnamese troops the U.S. Command said was raining mortars, machine-gun and small arms fire on the marines. U.S. artillery guns also blasted at the Communist troops, some of whom were well entrenched in heavily fortified bunkers.

Military spokesmen said the fighting broke out on the southern edge of the DMZ. About 150 Marines from the 4th Regiment had moved out on patrol from the combat base called The Rockpile and ran into the North Vietnamese six miles to the northeast.

Another 150 "Leathernecks" were rushed up while bombers and artillery pounded the enemy positions. The fighting swirled into the zone itself when the enemy soldiers withdrew about midnight to the north and northeast and the Marines pursued them.

The North Vietnamese mortar positions were said to be a few hundred yards inside the southern half of the DMZ.

A spokesman said a sweep of the southern edge of the zone turned up eight enemy bodies and a quantity of war materials and ammunition.

It was the second time since the halt in the American bombing of North Vietnam on Nov. 1 that allied forces moved into the DMZ. On Nov. 26, U.S. Marines and South Vietnamese infantrymen swept into the zone and clashed with North Vietnamese troops in two battles seven miles apart, but no American casualties were reported.

U.S. headquarters also reported that U.S. Marine artillery fired Wednesday on 10 to 12 North Vietnamese soldiers sighted in fortified positions inside the DMZ about 10 miles east of the enemy fighting. An aerial observer spotted the enemy troops a mile inside the southern half of the zone, a spokesman said, and the Marine artillery destroyed 12 bunkers and triggered three secondary explosions, indicating hits on ammunition stores.

NCA Group Rates Hope 3.2 of 5

Hope High School has received an overall average of 3.2 of a possible five in the statistical evaluations by the North Central Association Re-evaluation committee which visited the school last week. Recommendations for improvements should be received later this month.

Principal Joe Barentine has received a letter from W. M. Locke, chairman of the NCA committee, closing the following evaluations:

"In the 20 areas applicable to Hope High School the committee made 785 numerical evaluations for a total of 2,356, giving an overall average of 3.2. These evaluations indicate a good well-balanced program," Mr. Locke wrote.

He also indicated that in his opinion the faculty made excellent preparation for the visit. He also commended the committee's evaluation.

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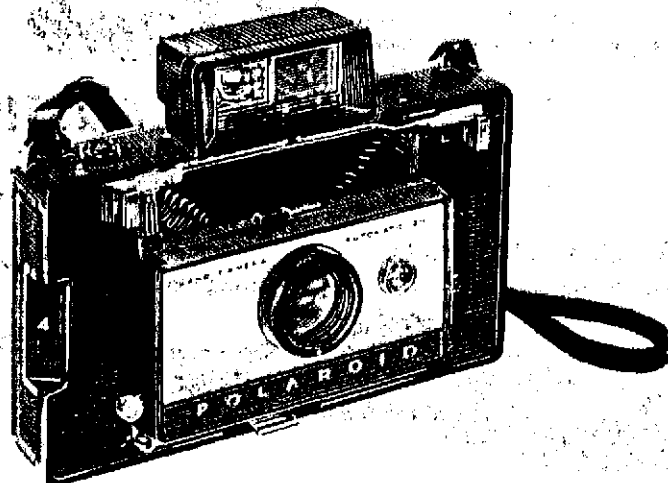
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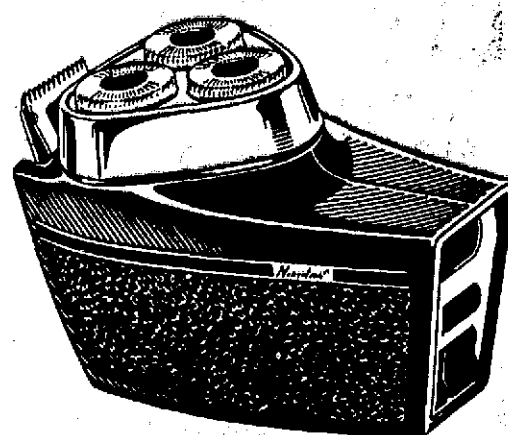
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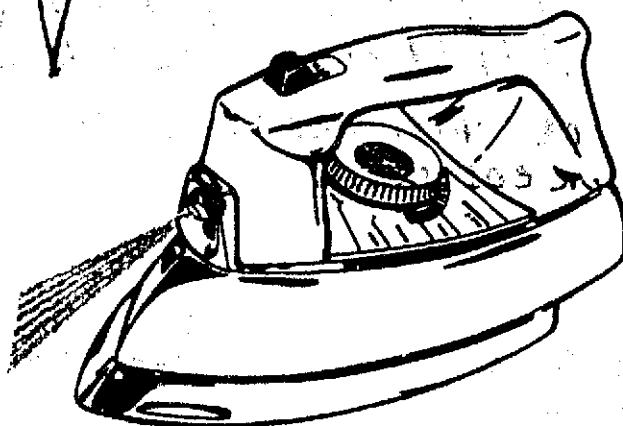
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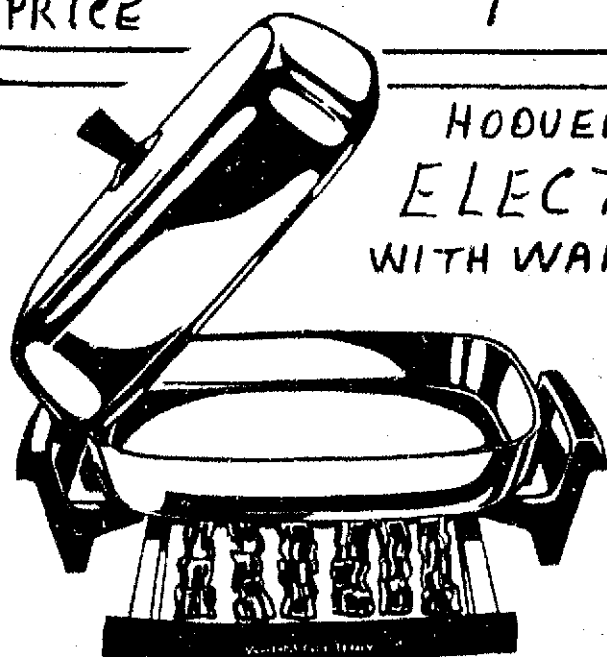
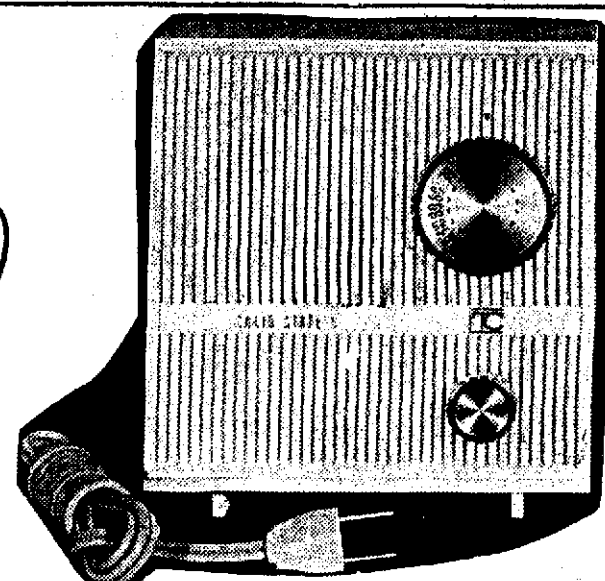
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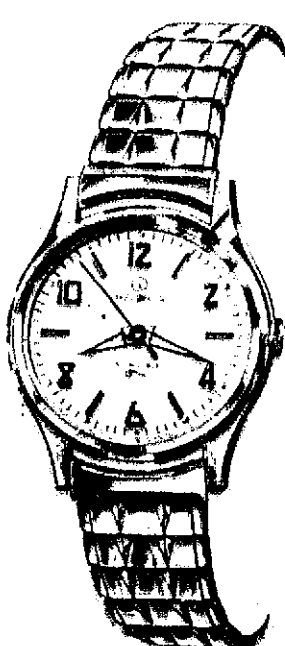
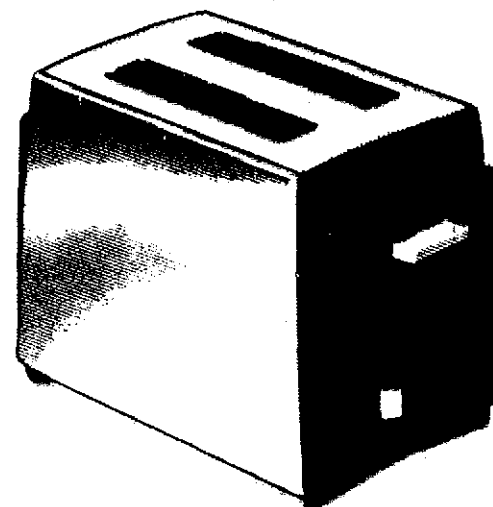
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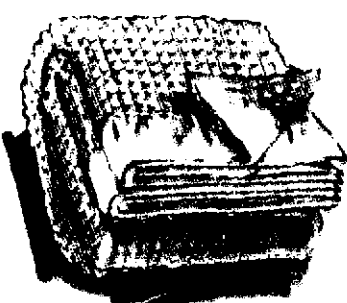
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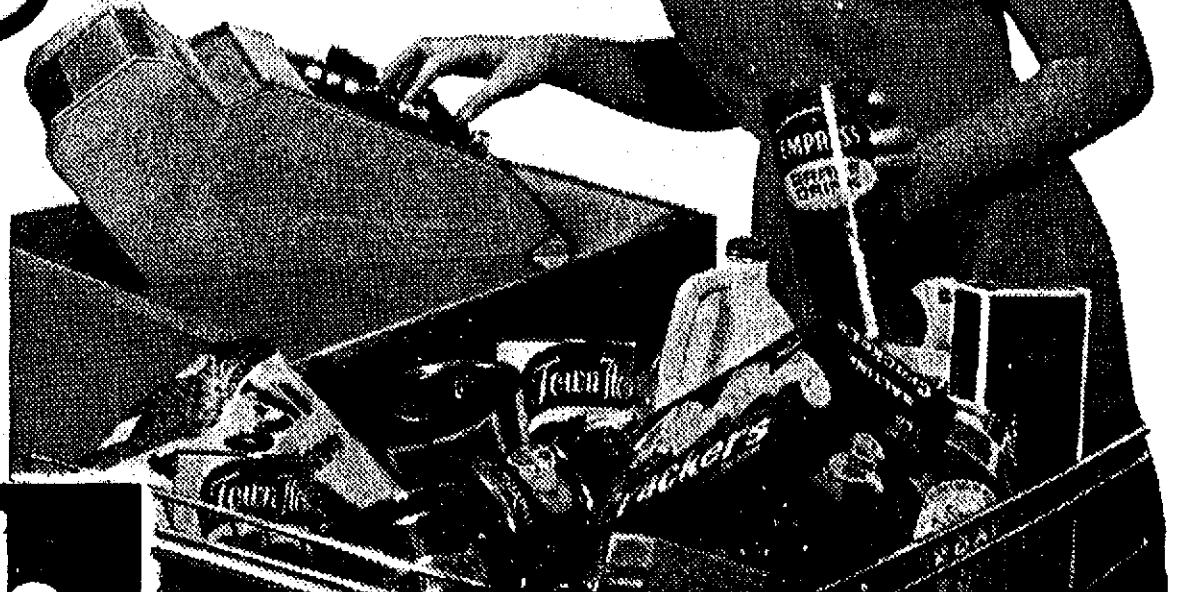
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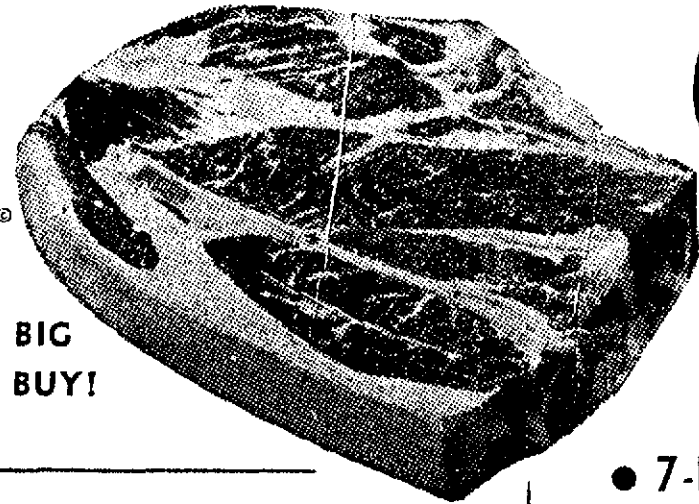


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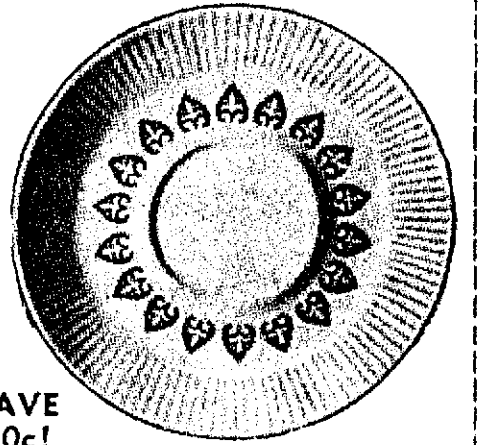
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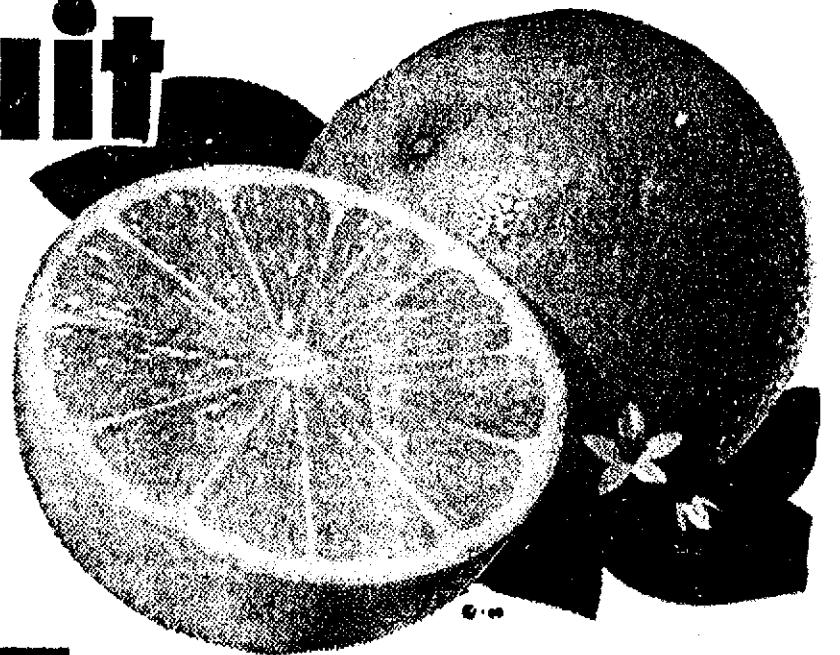
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NO SURPRISES

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tors, Nixon came up with 12 men, many longtime associates and friends, who generally reflect the internationalist-minded and fiscally conservative attitudes of the president-elect.

In his drive for president against Democrat Hubert H. Humphrey, Nixon had said he would seek men of both parties and of differing views for help in achieving his campaign goal of uniting the country.

Asked about the absence of a Democrat, Herbert G. Klein, Nixon communications director, quipped the President-elect had appointed "all independents who vote Republican."

However, press spokesman Ronald L. Ziegler made a point of telling newsmen that a Democrat will get one top job to be announced in the near future—ambassador to the United Nations.

The post has been offered to Sargent Shriver, now ambassador to France. Shriver is a brother-in-law of Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., an association by marriage that has prompted some strong private protests from conservative Republicans.

Nixon also did not have a Negro on his list. Perhaps to try to offset any adverse comments, he began his broadcast by disavowing that Washington's Democratic Negro mayor, Walter E. Washington, has agreed to appointment to a second term when his tenure expires Feb. 1.

By the time Nixon spoke without benefit of notes or cue cards, his choices for the Cabinet were hardly a secret. The President-elect had given the names in advance to GOP congressional leaders and from there the roster soon found its way onto the air and into print.

They are: Secretary of state—William P. Rogers; secretary of defense—Rep. Melvin R. Laird, R-Wis.; secretary of the Treasury—David M. Kennedy; attorney general—John N. Mitchell; postmaster general—Winton M. Blount; secretary of the interior—Gov. Walter J. Hickel of Alaska; secretary of agriculture—Clifford M. Hardin; secretary of commerce—Maurice H. Stans; secretary of labor—INDEPENDENT THINKERS, SAID, "I don't want a cabinet of 'yes' men."

The appointments generally drew praise.

The selection of Rogers as secretary of state was lauded by Senate Democratic leaders including Vietnam war critics.

J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee called Rogers a "man of unquestioned integrity and ability" and said: "I feel sure that his common sense and good judgement will serve the country well."

"An excellent choice," said Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield. "I am delighted with his appointment and look forward to a continuing good relationship with him."

Dissent did come from Georgia state Rep. Julian Bond who was a leader of liberal forces at the Democratic National Convention. A Negro, he noted the cabinet is all-white and said Negroes are in for some disappointments during the Nixon administration.

Here, in brief, is the background of the men Nixon will send to the Senate for confirmation after he takes office Jan. 20.

Rogers, 55, a New York and Washington lawyer, longtime Nixon adviser and attorney general for three years in the Eisenhower administration, to be secretary of state.

—Kennedy, 63, board chairman of the Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust Co., and veteran of 16 years with the staff of the Federal Reserve Board, to be secretary of the treasury.

—Laird, 46, ranking Republican of the House Defense Appropriations subcommittee and a Nixon campaign adviser, to be secretary of defense.

—Mitchell, 55, senior partner in Nixon's former New York law firm, an expert on state and municipal bonds and manager of the Nixon campaign, to be attorney general.

—Blount, 47, president of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and a Montgomery, Ala., contractor who was a Democrat until 1952, to be postmaster general.

—Hickel, 49, a self-made millionaire in real estate and construction and governor of Alaska since 1967, to be secretary of the interior.

—Hardin, 53, former dean of agriculture at Michigan State University and, since 1954, chancellor of the University of Nebraska, to be secretary of agriculture.

—Stans, 60, New York investment banker, budget director in the Eisenhower administration, and Nixon's chief campaign fund-raiser, to be secretary of



KEY POSITION In the Nixon administration will be held by Rep. Melvin R. Laird (R-Wis.), who has been reported as the President-elect's choice for Secretary of Defense.

N.Y. Times Publisher Dead at 77

NEW YORK (AP) — Arthur Hays Sulzberger, chairman of the board of the New York Times, is dead at age 77. During 26 years as publisher, he kept the Times abreast of a rapidly changing world while maintaining its traditions of completeness and responsibility.

Sulzberger died peacefully in his sleep at his Fifth Avenue apartment Wednesday. His health had been failing since 1957 when he suffered a stroke while in Rangoon on a round-the-world trip. Later he had another attack.

Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey paid tribute in a statement calling Sulzberger "one of our nation's most respected journalists" and New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller called him a "champion of truth and objectivity."

A memorial service was set for Sunday at Temple Emanuel near his home. The body will be cremated.

Sulzberger took over as publisher of the Times on the death of his father-in-law, Adolph S. Ochs, in 1935. He held the post until 1961 when he relinquished the reins to his own son-in-law, the late Orvil E. Dryfoos.

Dryfoos died in 1963 and Sulzberger's son, Arthur Ochs Sulzberger, was elevated to the post, continuing a 65-year tradition that a member of the Ochs family be publisher of the Times.

Sulzberger marked his 50th anniversary with the Times last Saturday and members of the newspaper's 31-year club—800 persons who have been employed at the Times for at least 30 years—had planned to present a gold watch to him this week.

In his years as publisher, Sulzberger carried out a series of deliberate changes that emphasized interpretation and analysis of events, provided more news on specialized subjects such as science and encouraged brighter writing.

Under his stewardship the Times daily circulation rose 40 per cent, the Sunday circulation nearly doubled, the staff grew to 5,750 including the largest Washington bureau and largest foreign staff of any newspaper.

He departed from Ochs' policy against strong or daring editorial positions but he did not impose his opinions on the editorial board. Nor did he ask a man to write an editorial contrary to the writer's convictions.

On occasion he resorted to expressing his views in a letter to the editor, using the pen name, A. Aitchess (A.H.S. Aitchess also appeared in the paper as the author of light verse, one of Sulzberger's favorite diversions.

Although he delegated authority freely, there was no detail about the paper that was too small for his concern. He kept a small black gold-cornered pad on which he jotted down notes about good and bad points in headlines, stories and the like or if he found a news vendor without the Times.

—Shultz, 48, dean of the graduate school of business at the University of Chicago, to be secretary of labor.

—Finch, 44, lieutenant governor of California and long one of Nixon's closest political associates, to be secretary of health, education and welfare.

—Romney, 61, former automaker, governor of Michigan since 1963 and, briefly last winter, a challenger of Nixon for the GOP presidential nomination, to be secretary of housing and urban development.

—Volpe, 60, three-term governor of Massachusetts and wealthy contractor, to be secretary of transportation.

Laird Defense Views to Be Tested

By FRED S. HOFFMAN
AP Military Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Melvin R. Laird may be tested when he attempts to put into practice as the Nixon administration's defense secretary what he preached as a congressman.

The Wisconsin Republican will have to reconcile the need for new strategic weapons to stay ahead of the Soviet Union with the need to keep the defense budget from soaring out of sight.

He will have to find a way to maintain firm civilian control in military affairs and still give greater weight and freedom to military judgment.

He will have to find a substitute for former defense chief Robert S. McNamara's "cost-effectiveness" tool, which he criticized severely, and still insure against waste in defense spending.

ing. Laird is unique—he is the first member of Congress to step into the exceedingly tough job of running the gigantic defense establishment and shaping national strategy to deal with changing threats.

As a ranking GOP member of the House Defense Appropriations subcommittee, he has interrogated Pentagon chiefs and challenged their policies. Now he will be on the other side of the committee table.

Though respected by both Democrats and Republicans in Congress, he will be far from immune to criticism.

In fact, his reputation as a strong partisan may open him to Democratic attack after the customary period of grace at the start of a new administration.

Laird was Nixon's principal defense policy adviser during the recent presidential campaign.

His views show through Nixon's core contention that Democratic administrations allowed a "gravely serious security gap" to open up between the United States and the Soviet Union.

States and the Soviet Union. Like Nixon, he rejects the idea of nuclear "parity" and favors clear cut U.S. superiority. Like Nixon, he has deplored what he claimed was a lag in new weapons development and military research under the McNamara regime.

He supports Air force aims for a new advanced bomber, but does not go all the way with the Air Force on the dimension of that program.

Like Nixon, Laird is an advocate of a stronger Navy. He fought for more nuclear-powered warships at a time when McNamara opted for conventional power because of economic considerations.

Like Nixon, Laird has attacked "gradualism" as it was practiced in the U.S. bombing campaign against North Vietnam. At one time, he advocated air strikes at the port of Haiphong, which was off-limits to U.S. bombers under the McNamara policy endorsed by President Johnson.

Television and Radio

NEW YORK (AP) — The special program, which one of the networks billboarded simply as "The Nixon Cabinet," was carried off smoothly and with split-second timing Wednesday night.

President-elect Nixon formally addressed a roomful of appointees and their families in a Washington hotel and the nation via television and radio to introduce the dozen members of his Cabinet.

Speculation by reporters on the appointments had been so widespread and so shrewd that there were few real surprises in the list.

The future president, standing smilingly before a blue background, apparently spoke without notes other than the names of his choices. He spoke generally and glowingly of each man's abilities and deliberately avoided a routine biographical run-down on them. He ad libbed the announcements to such a

point, in fact, that he apparently quite overlooked the name of the future secretary of commerce although he gave him a fine send-off.

Television coverage by the three major TV networks of what ABC's new White House correspondent, Tom Jarriel, later called "a slickly formatted half-hour for the home folks," raised hoots with late evening entertainment programming, and left all three with an empty half hour to fill.

All networks decided to handle the void in the same, familiar fashion. They called in their correspondents for round-table discussions and off-the-cuff analysis.

Since most of the more important appointments were pretty well known in advance, the experts had been able to do a little preliminary thinking about viewpoints and could talk rather fluently about the men, their style of operation and make some guesses about the problems they would be tackling.

Liveliest discussion came from ABC's roundtable, led by Frank Reynolds with William

Lawrence, John Scall and Joseph C. Harsch joining in. They were not always in agreement and tended to debate, which is enlightening.

Herb Alpert and the Tijuana Brass headlined Wednesday night's "Music Hall" hour on NBC, but the show somehow lacked the imagination and excitement that made the Alpert specials of recent seasons such treats.

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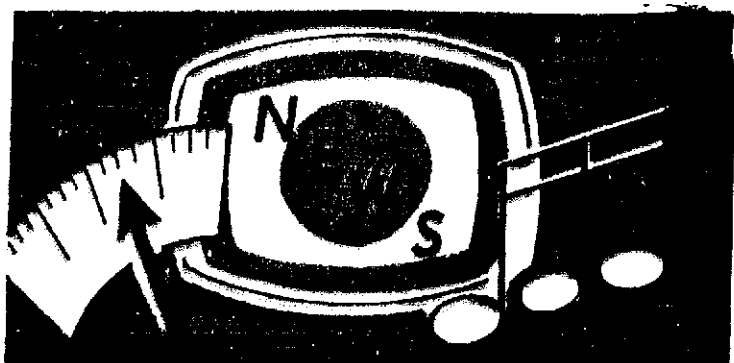
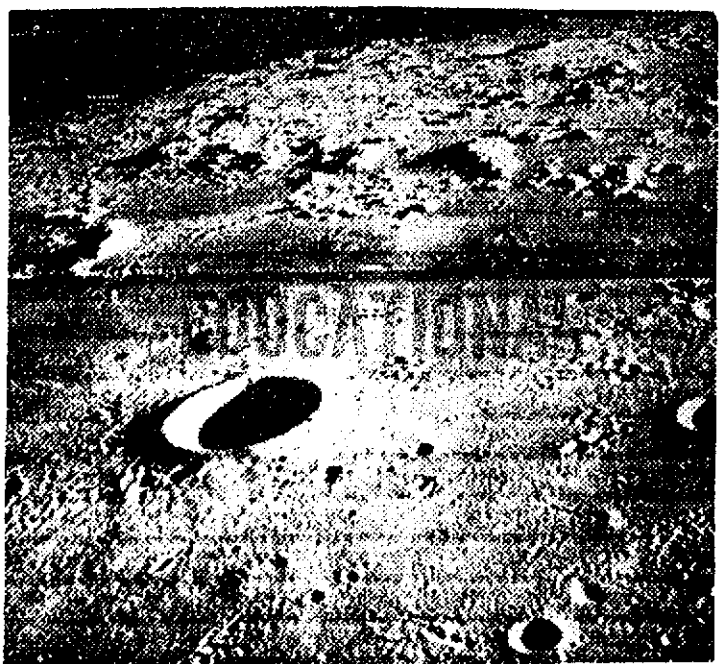
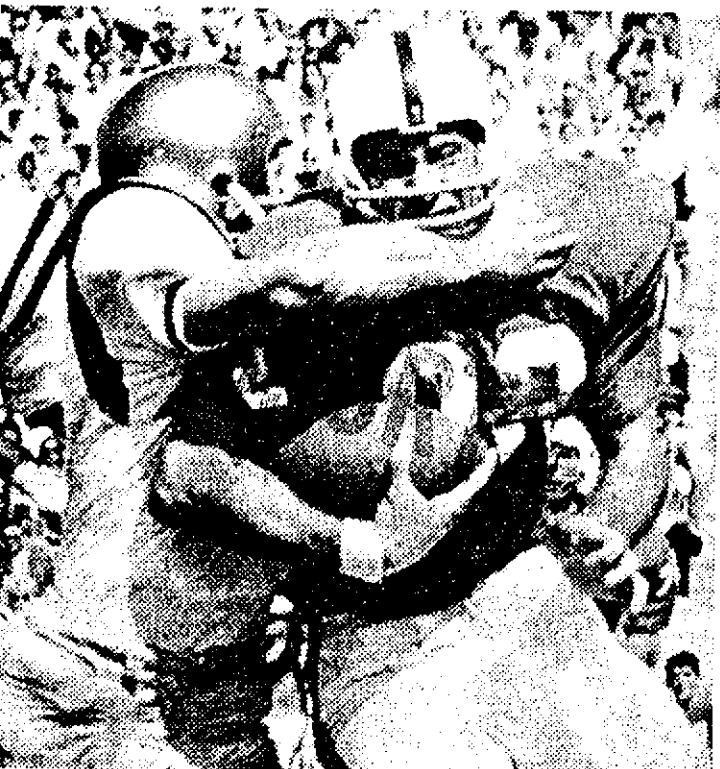
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